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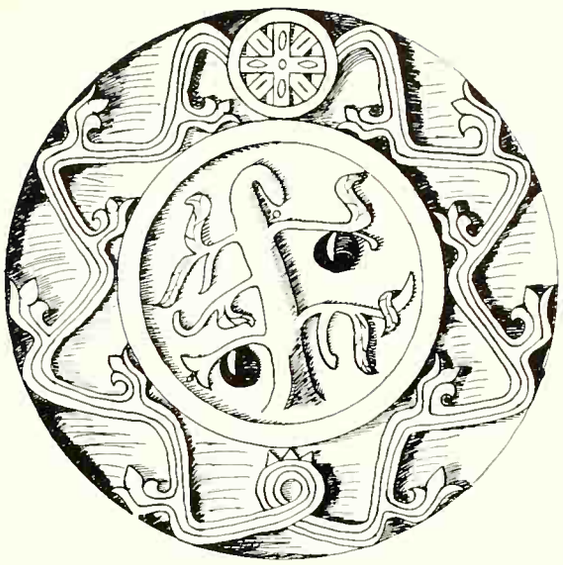


Tree of Knowledge

Permanently encased in stone and overlooking the north and south of the campus are symbols of the tree of knowledge. The various parts of the tree symbolize some particular phase of education. The trunk represents education. The branches depict every kind of learning. Included are branches of Pure and Applied Mathematics; Natural, Physical, and Social Sciences; and Practical, Fine, and Language Arts. Each branch divides into other specialized fields. For example, language arts separates into twigs of English, Spanish, German, Latin, and every language known to man. The leaves represent the lifeline of the tree; without these the tree cannot live, grow, and prosper. The leaves are the teachers, historians, mathematicians, authors, and other men of knowledge. The fruits of the tree symbolize each individual ability and aim. The tree signifies education and man's mind, both of which if tended properly will produce excellent fruits.

Each individual tree has been planted and given nourishment, but at this stage of our education it has just begun to grow. The trunk, branches, twigs, and leaves must be given an opportunity to develop into mature fruits.

VHS Broadens

Its Scope of Knowledge

upper center left

The year of 1963-64 might be called "The Year of Improvements." One of these developments was the landscaping of the center courtyard and the laying of a gravel walk. This project was sponsored by the Student Council.

upper center right

Mr. Dixon performs an essential task at VHS. The maintenance staff keeps the school and grounds in good order so that an atmosphere conducive to study will prevail.

upper right

Kay Dowdell searches through her economics text to find the answer for a question put forth by her instructor. One of the most important experiences of high school education is learning to find knowledge for one's self.

middle left

During the summer, the science department began the installation of its new chemistry and physics laboratories. Their completion in October made available to the student the latest in equipment and facilities and assisted him in the clearer conception of the sciences.

middle center

Taking time out from a day of rigorous studies, VHS students relax in the south breezeway during their lunch hour.

middle right

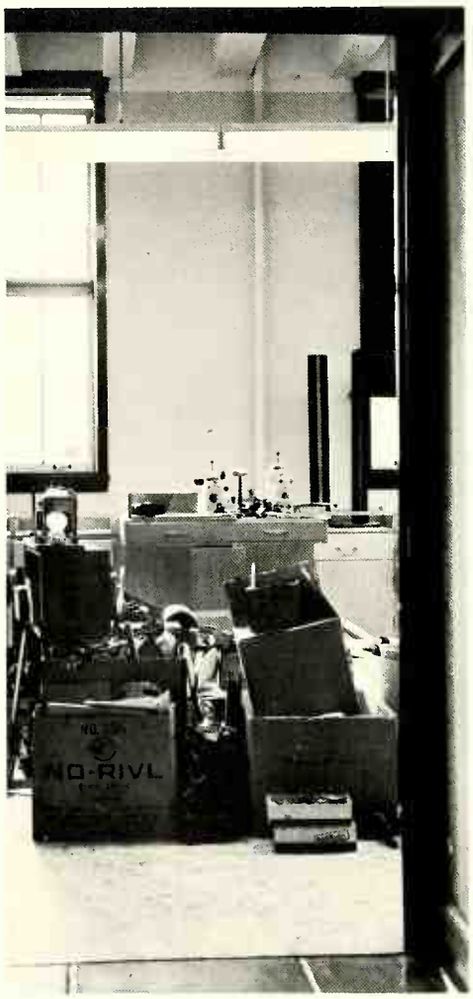
Judy Bowman and Barb Harvey cooperate in preparing for a welcoming party in honor of incoming sophomores as new members of the various organizations. Although gaining knowledge is of primary importance at VHS, fellowship is also a significant phase of a student's education.

lower left

This fall there was also much work to be done in the chemistry laboratory before its completion. Each group unit and individual locker had to be stocked with the necessary chemicals and equipment. After school the labs were left open for further experimentation by the especially interested students.

lower right

Mrs. Brunicon and Mrs. Walsh are kept busy preparing daily meals for the over 500 VHS students and teachers that eat hot lunches at school.



Early Phases of Knowledge are Initiated in the Classroom

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Steve Johnson is all attention while one of his classmates gives a speech. The skills learned in this room will help the graduate throughout his later life.

upper center
Very different from the speech classroom, but as important is the choir room where Mr. Hurst strains for just the right note as his organization strives to reach perfection in its offerings.

upper right
Gesturing for emphasis, Mr. Gaston tries to clarify a point in the study of social studies. VHS students spent innumerable hours in the study of the required social studies courses in classes such a these.

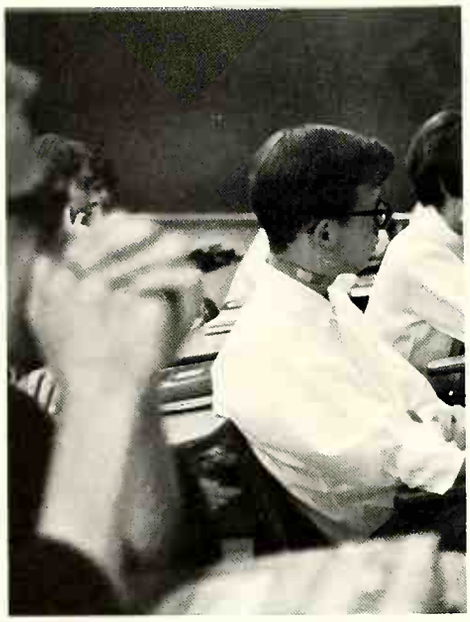
middle left
Chuck Brookover and Bob Armstrong confer on a point of an assignment during a library study hall illustrating that two heads are better than one. In some cases the library was used to continue the honor study hall program for VHS students.

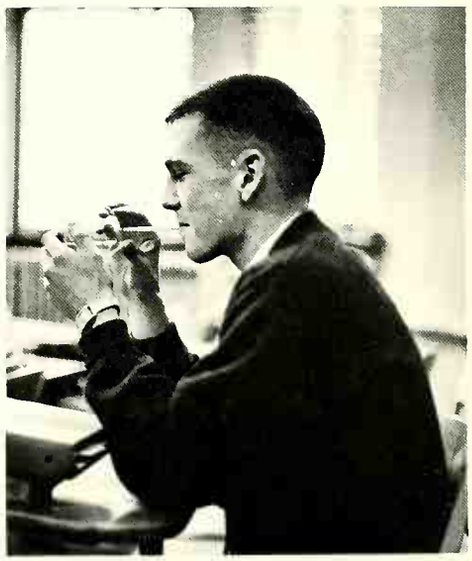
middle center
In a study hall period, Tom Copper conducts a "scientific experiment" in blowing bubbles to prove that the "learning devices" are not limited to paper, pencil, and textbook.

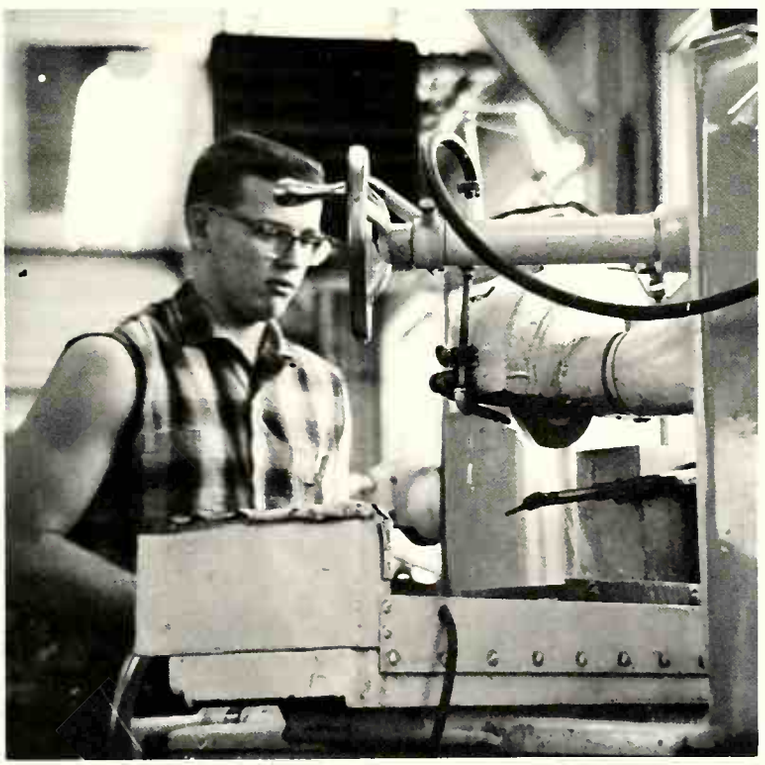
middle right
Totally engrossed, Marty Steinbach listens while a complicated physics concept is explained. The learning that takes place in the science classrooms is elaborated to result in a significant contribution to the future.

lower center
The typing classroom is the scene of many frustrations and accomplishments as students learn to type themes or business forms for future schoolwork or careers.

lower right
Symbolizing the diversity of classrooms in high school, Andy Fitzer works on a surface grinder. The industrial arts workshops are becoming increasingly important to this country's industrial future.







Students Live in a World of Fun and Sudden Sorrow

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Folk singers Joe Peterson, Glenn Coble, and Bob Hildreth, entertain at the Y-Teen Dessert-for-Dads party.

center left
Along with a grieving nation, VHS mourns the assassination of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy and flies the school flag at half-staff for thirty days. Students were in class on Friday, November 22, when they first heard the tragic news.

upper right
Carolyn Emerson waits in Mr. Henkel's office to consult him concerning her future occupation. Trips to the guidance office during study hall hours are familiar to most seniors at VHS.

lower left
VHS athletes and parents enjoy the carry-in supper highlighting the fall sports season. The sports banquet honored the football and cross country teams and the outstanding participants of each.

middle right
During the noon hours, boys engage in a brief but vigorous game of basketball in the gym.

lower center right
Jane Freeman searches the college bulletin shelves in the library for information about the college of her choice. The library supplies materials concerning a large number of U.S. colleges and universities.

lower right
Rollie Parsons pauses to polish one of the many trophies won by the athletes through the years. VHS claims three overflowing trophy cases.

Diviersified Components of Student Life

upper left
During one of her few quiet moments as a hall monitor, Ann Williamson hurriedly completes an assignment. Hall monitors were responsible for recording all movements to and from lockers during class hours.

upper center
The drinking fountain is a popular place during class breaks on hot school days. This "pause that refreshes" was often the cause of many trips to Mr. Mundy's office for tardy slips.

upper right
Mr. Falls finishes putting a new door frame on one of the front inside doors as VHS's program of improvement moves steadily onward.

middle left
Typical of many parts of the school, the discarded desks give the lower hall a look of organized confusion. Lockers line the hall and obsolete desks signify victims of progress.

middle center left
Sue Dauberman and Linda Graham relish the "lunch of the day" and free-time out of class. Lunch provided time to keep up with the latest gossip and return to sanity.

lower center left
John Marquardt and Doug Liggett study an assignment in the cafeteria during lunch hour. After a hot lunch, the cafeteria provided an atmosphere for cooperative study and a chance to complete daily lessons.

lower right
Roger Chapel continues the learning process out of the classroom by selecting a book for extra reading. Students are encouraged to read out of class in order to obtain a deeper insight into the course.

Students Become Conscious of Faces and Places in School

upper center left
Sue Rowen smiles inspite of an obvious handicap. Sue, the third of the band's majorettes, was not pictured because of a shattered ankle which kept ner in bed for one week and on crutches for eight.

upper center right
Buying bus tickets to the week's basketball game, Nancy Nielsen, Kris Karamesines, and Paula Domke support their team and Pep Club. Buses traveled to the away football and basketball games.

middle center left
The north breezeway is blanketed with a mantle of snow as winter settles on VHS.

middle center right
As spring makes its debut, students return to the breezeway to enjoy a few minutes of sunshine and fresh air before returning to their academic studies.

lower right
As autumn departs, so does football and its excitement. The football field, bleachers, and VHS band parents' "Dog House" wait patiently under a cover of snow for another season.

lower center left
Donna Huber punches a meal ticket during the fourth hour lunch. Students also helped in the kitchen by selling tickets, washing dishes, and serving food.

Diversified Occurences Culminate into School Year

upper center left
Ron Banks, a new student from Westville High School, fills out enrollment cards in Mr. Henkel's office as part of the enrollment process. This was repeated during the school year as the semester changed.

upper center right
Tina, a variety of breeds, lies in the sun waiting for school to be dismissed. She has become an unofficial mascot of VHS and a pet of students and teachers alike.

upper right
Sue Berrier takes advantage of extra time after school to consult Mrs. Inman about a home economics project. All teachers were available for extra assistance during the "eighth hour" from 3:00 to 4:00 in the afternoon.

middle left
"Boo" Krieger "hams it up" during the pep session preceeding the Crispus Attucks game. During the pep session each senior basketball team member was introduced before playing his last ome game.

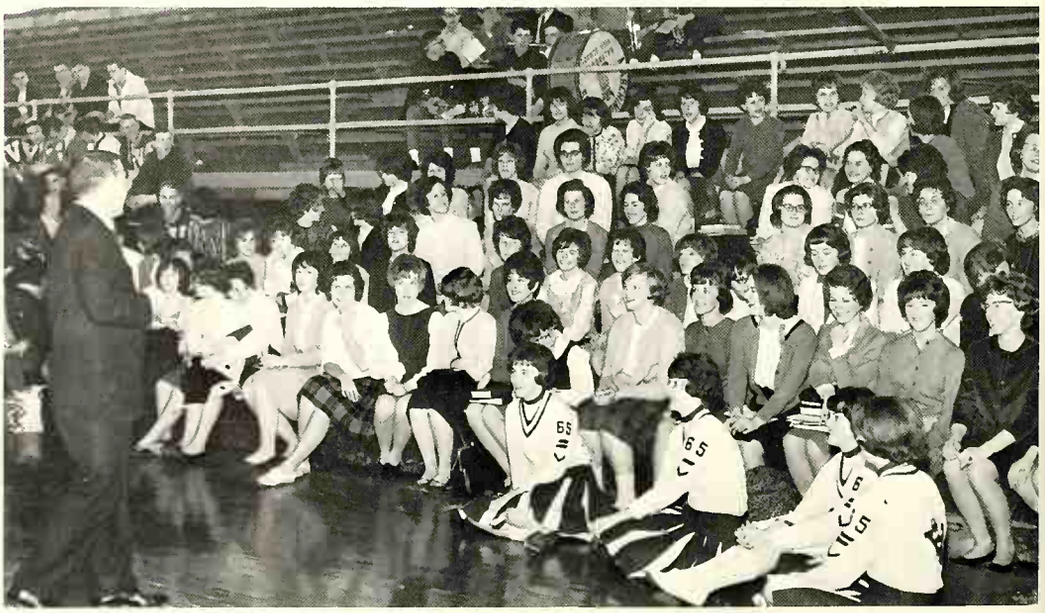
middle center left
At 2:45 the school buses begin to line up to take the students home. Many students depend upon the buses for transportation both to and from school.

middle center right
Dan Stolpe tries to fight off an "unidentified ailment" in the nurse's office under the supervision of Nancy Howe. Student nurses were on duty at all times to assist any pupil who became ill.

lower left
Mr. Sweet addresses a pep session after school on a game day. These pep sessions were held to raise school spirit through skits and speeches by the coaches and players.

lower center left
The school parking lot, formerly the tennis courts, is filled everyday with students' cars. Approximately seventy-five private cars are used for transportation.

lower left
Mr. Stuber confers with students in the lower hall during the five minute class break.



Bicycles, Brawn, and Beauty Dominate Homecoming

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Breaking all precedents, over forty senior girls stage their own parade the morning of homecoming. The girls arrived at school upon bicycles, rode around the school buildings twice, and went to their classes feeling that they had contributed a special extra to the spirit of the day.

upper center left
Smiling through her tears, Beth Roby approaches the throne to be crowned 1963 Homecoming Queen by football co-captains Zane Cole and John Nicklas. The beauty of her coronation ceremonies softened the heartbreaking defeat of the Vikings at the hands of Hammond Tech.

upper center right
Eleanor Molengraft, princess, and Beth Roby, queen, grasp each other for support at the instant of the announcement of the princess, deciding the fortune of both.

upper right
Working feverishly the homecoming dance committee, headed by Eileen Koepke and Pam Whittler, toils to meet the mid-afternoon decorating deadline. The theme of this year's dance, "Roses," was carried out with rose centerpieces on the tables, a rose colored throne, and large portraits of the homecoming court mounted in paper rose buds on the east gym wall.

lower left
Following the coronation, the court and their escorts, senior football players, dance to the music of Ed Andrew's Band during the traditional court's dance.

lower right
The queen and her court pose for a formal portrait. They are: Jeanne Jopes, Nancy Lightcap, Princess Molengraft, Pat Kane, Bonnie Underwood, and Sue Shook. Sitting is Queen Roby with Chris Williams, scepter bearer, and Sheri Sweet, crown bearer.

VHS Sparkles with the Spirit of the Holiday Season

upper left

Nancy Young and Steve Randall pause during the Christmas dance given December 21 by the Y-Teens. The dance highlighted the holiday season. On the side walls of the gym, the theme, "The Night Before Christmas," was depicted with white silhouettes of Santa Claus' sleigh and reindeer flying over a peaceful country village.

upper center left

Playing in front of a printed backdrop of "The Night Before Christmas," the Notables provide an enjoyable evening of music.

lower left

The grand march signaled the end of the Christmas dance. Y-Teens officers, Pat Kane and Jeanne Jopes, and their escorts led the well-dressed couples.

center right

The Student Council trimmed a Christmas tree in the upper hallway. This tree lended to the festive atmosphere of VHS during the week prior to the two week Christmas vacation.

upper right

The holiday extended through lockers decorated with popcorn, tree ornaments, Christmas cards, and stockings as displayed by Janet Urschel and Katie Todd.

middle right

The Carolers, representatives of the VHS choir, tour the halls Thursday before the vacation. Later that day, the Carolers and the Troubadours, another madrigal group, sang Christmas songs for other public and parochial schools of Valparaiso.

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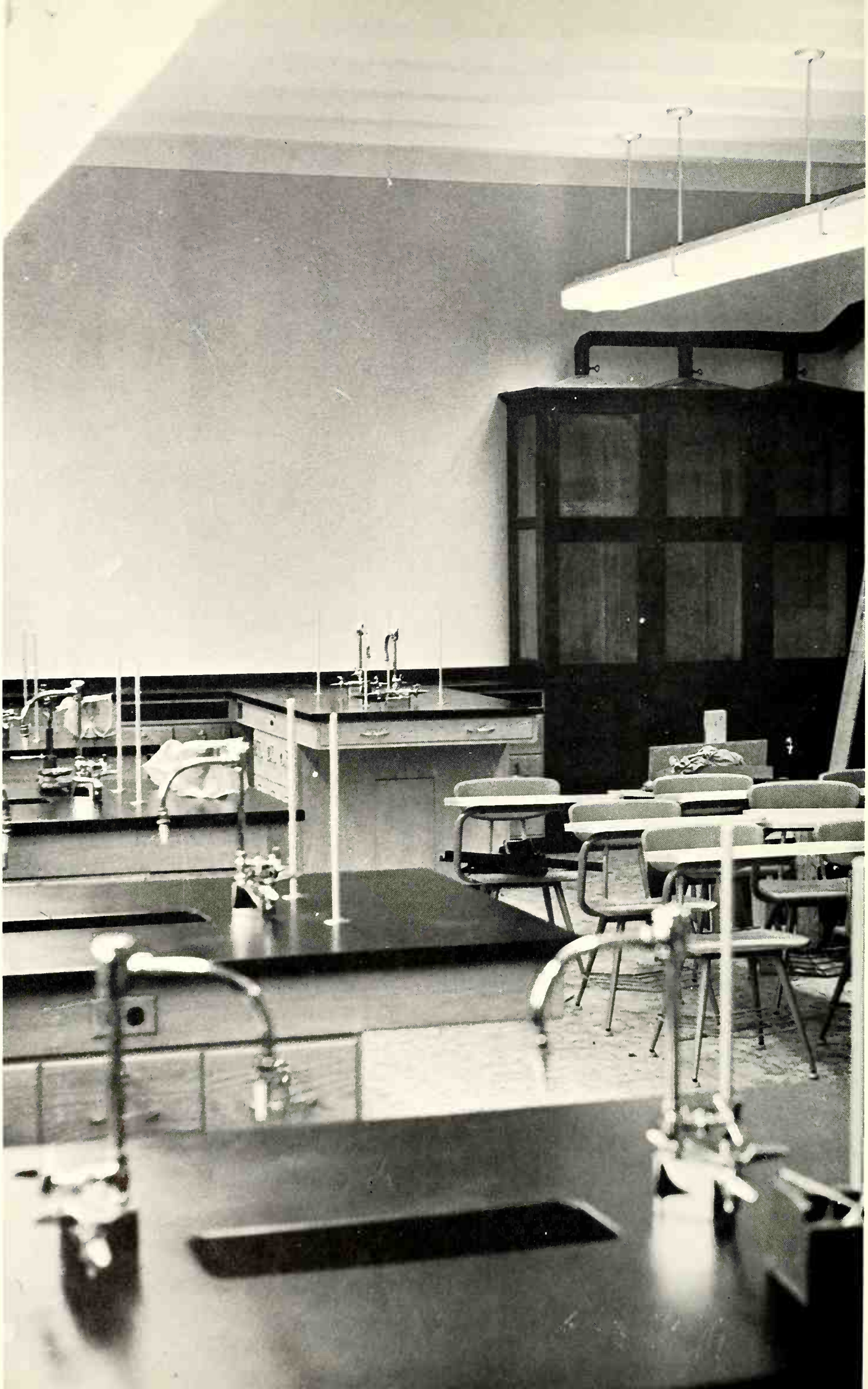
Friday afternoon, December 20, the Student Council sponsored a Christmas convocation with both a gay and spiritual atmosphere. The Lemonlighters and groups of juniors and seniors sang, and senior readings were presented by individual students.



"Knowledge is Power"

Valparaiso High School's academic department strives to teach students not only knowledge in the form of isolated facts, but also as a foundation for future learning. Whether the individual continues formal education or prepares for a commercial or domestic career, the education of Valparaiso's students is based on the ideal that high school education is a beginning and a basis of continued learning.

The academic departments teach the students how to find needed data or information, how to develop an idea through further study, and how to put into effective use that which they already know. The VHS student learns that "Knowledge is Power."

Administrators Determine Current School Policies

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Valparaiso's policy-making and governing body is composed of Mr. Mann Spitler, Jr., president; Mrs. Gene Myers, vice-president; Dr. D. P. LaCount, treasurer; Mr. Joseph Durand, secretary; Mr. Preston Platt, member; and Mr. G. Warren Phillips, superintendent. The members are appointed every four years and rotate in these offices. The school board's most important function is to provide increased educational opportunities for all students.

lower left

This fall the school board was responsible for the installation of a cafeteria in the newly remodeled gymnasium at Benjamin Franklin Junior High School. This provides a hot lunch program at the junior high which serves approximately 250 students each day.

upper right

Administrating school policies, guiding curriculum development, directing personnel and finances, and representing our community in educational circles is only a summary of the many responsibilities of Mr. G. Warren Phillips, superintendent of Valparaiso Community Schools. He is also active in many local civic activities and in state educational organizations. Mr. Phillips has achieved national prominence as a member of the executive board of the American Association of High School Administrators. He is becoming internationally prominent through a recent trip abroad. In October 1963 he made a thirty-nine day tour of Sweden sponsored by the "Meet Modern Sweden Committee" in cooperation with the Swedish government. He accompanied eighty other superintendents from thirty-eight states as they traveled to Stockholm, Uppsala, Lapland, and Osterund. These superintendents discussed the educational systems of the two countries with Swedish officials.

lower right

Mr. King Telle as principal of VHS is vitally interested in all functions of the school. He strives to maintain the reputation of VHS throughout the state as a first class school academically and socially. Mr. Telle has been principal at VHS for seventeen years, during which time he has seen the building of a new addition, the introduction of television as a means of teaching, and the advent of space-age minded education. Besides carrying out his duties as principal, Mr. Telle coaches the golf team and enthusiastically supports all other sports.

Principals, Secretaries Perform Duties of School's Business

upper left
BETTY PRICE: Mrs. Price acts as the registrar of VHS, coordinates the various offices, compiles school records, and sends in textbook orders.

upper center left
JANET TOFTE: Mrs. Tofte is in charge of the office work involved with the guidance department.

upper center right
THOMAS ROBERTS: Mr. Roberts came to the Valparaiso Community School System in 1943 as a teacher. He moved up gradually until in 1955 he was made director of buildings. Now his job entails directing school transportation. He also is vocation coordinator and substitute for the superintendent when he is absent for an extended period of time.

upper right
ISABELLE FRONICKE: Mrs. Fronicke, new this year to the school system, is in charge of keeping the books for the entire school system.

middle center right
ANITA CHILIAN: Miss Chilian came to VHS in August of 1963. She assists Mr. Mundy in his duties and keeps the attendance office girls busy.

middle right
GRACE RICHARD: Mrs. Richard's duties are to record the minutes of school board meetings and to serve as secretary to Mr. Phillips.

middle far right
DIANA CAVANAUGH: Mrs. Cavanaugh, also new to the VHS system, operates the switchboard and is a receptionist at the administration building.

lower left
JAMES MUNDY: In 1951 Mr. Mundy began his career in Valparaiso as the principal of both Banta and Columbia Elementary Schools. Five years later he became principal of Central Junior High School. In 1958 he became assistant principal at VHS. He is in charge of attendance, lockers, student activities, and Student Council.

lower right
ALFRED L. HENKEL: Mr. Henkel came to VHS 18 years ago as a full-time social studies teacher. In 1951 he was in charge of attendance,and the counseling of seniors, in addition to teaching a full schedule of classes. In 1955 the department of guidance was created headed by Mr. Henkel. His job now includes counseling seniors, compiling and reporting test scores, and keeping abreast with major developments in colleges across the country.

The Architects of the Future

upper left
ROY ELLIS BROWN: English 5C,6,7; Valenian Adivsor.

upper center left
KAREN AIKIN: Physical Education; G.A.A.

upper center right
ROBERT CAIN: Art; Junior Class Sponsor.

upper right
DOLORES BAUER: Spanish 3,4,5,6; Guidance; Nurse's Office.

middle center left
JAMES BAILEY: English 5S,6; Football; Swimming--Head Coach.

middle center right
DALE CICIORA: World History; Junior Varsity Basketball; Projection Club.

middle right
WILLIAM BAILEY: Algebra 3,4; Physics; Football.

lower left
DONNA CALZACORTO: Shorthand 1,2,3,4; Typing 1,2; Business English; Student Secretaries.

lower center left
MARY EDNA BOWMAN: English 3,4,8; Latin 3,4,5,6; F.T.A.; Cadet Teachers.

lower center right
FLORENCE CRAIG: English 3,4; Projection Club; Y-Teens.

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WILLIAM BARRETT: Civics; United States History; Projection Club; Dramatics Club.

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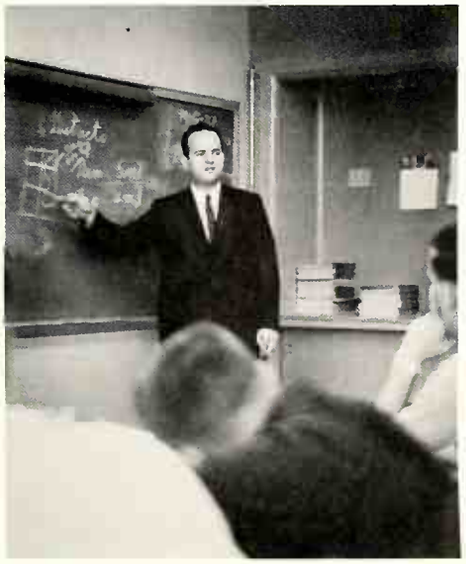

Guiding, Encouraging Creativity

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GLEN ELLIS: Plane Geometry; Algebra 3,4; Honors Algebra 3,4; Official Scorekeeper; Intramural Basketball Director.

upper center left
CLAUDE GASTON: United States History; Hi-Y; Ushers.

upper center right
JANET GOOD: English 5C,6; Pep Club.

upper right
OLEN GRIESBAUM: English 3,4,8; Sophomore Class Sponsor.

middle center left
ROBERT HUMMEL: German 1,2,3,4,5,6; Junior Class Sponsor.

middle center right
DONALD HERRICK: Economics; Economic Geography; Hi-Y.

middle right
MARJORIE INMAN: Home Economics 1,2, 3,4,5,6; Valpost Advisor.

far right
WESLEY MAIERS: Geometry 1,2; Honors Geometry 1,2; Math 7,8; Pep Club.

lower left
JACK HILDRETH: Sociology; Guidance; Senior Class Sponsor.

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CARL HURST: Choir; Madrigals; Carolers.

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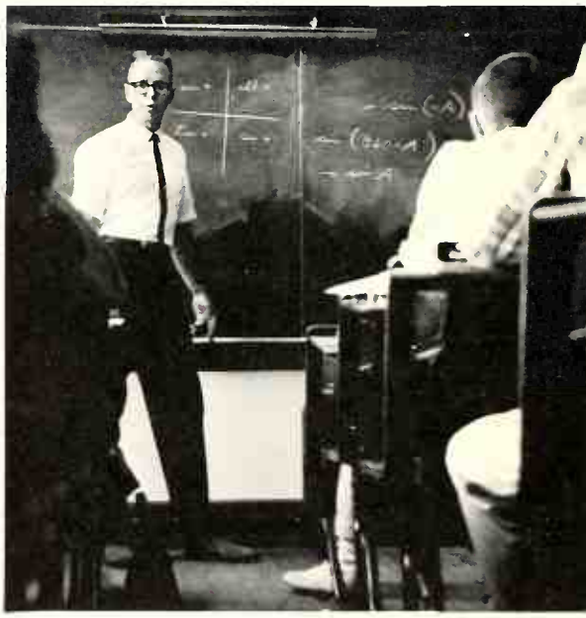
ROY JOHNSON: United States History; World History.



Advisors, Instructors, and Friends

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ROBERT MILLER: Marching Band; Concert Band.

upper center left
KENNETH PIFER: Vocational Machine Shop 1,2,3,4; Track--Head Coach; Cross Country--Head Coach.

upper center right
BETTY LOU REICHARD: Chemistry 1,2; Y-Teens

middle left
PAUL ROW: Physical Science; General Physics; Senior Class Sponsor; Science Club.

middle center left
ROBERT RHODA: Machine Drawing 3,4; Architectural Drawing 3,4; General Shop 3,4; Football; Baseball; Junior Class Sponsor.

middle center right
THOMAS STOKES: Consumer Economics; Driver Training; Football--Head Coach; Basketball; Track.

middle right
BRYCE ROHN: Typing 1,2,3; Shorthand 1,2; Office Practice; Student Secretaries.

lower left
CHARLES STUBER: Plane Geometry; General Math; Wrestling--Head Coach.

lower center left
VIRGIL SWEET: Physical Education; Health; Junior Varsity Football; Basketball--Head Coach.

lower center right
ROGER WILLIAMS: Chemistry 1,2,3; Science Club; Senior Class Sponsor.

lower right
JOHN WIGGINS: Bookkeeping 1,2; Business Law; Student Council.

Outlining the Future, Opening the Door of Tomorrow

upper left

Mr. Charles Henry explains what life is like at Purdue University. To help graduating seniors make their final decisions about colleges, the guidance department brought representatives of various colleges to tell about expenses, admission requirements, and social life, and to answer student's questions. Some of the colleges represented this year at VHS were Butler, Indiana, Earlham, Rose Polytechnical Institute, and Beloit College.

upper center left

Pat Morris stops to consult the guidance board concerning university "high school" days. The board also provides information about scholarships, jobs, and other general data.

upper center right

Mrs. Bauer helps Martha Edgecomb plan her future schedule for the next year at VHS. As a part of the upperclass guidance program, Mrs. Bauer and Mr. Sweet personally counseled junior and senior students.

upper right

To simplify the task of teacher and student distribution Mr. Henkel and Mrs. Tofte use the scheduling board. Each student has seven cards to correspond to the seven class hours. These cards are placed in the slot corresponding to that class hour and teacher.

lower center left

Mr. Henkel advises Barb Knott about college and occupational choices. As a basis, he uses various test scores, such as NMQT, SAT, and CEEB, as well as the student's achievements and ability.

lower left

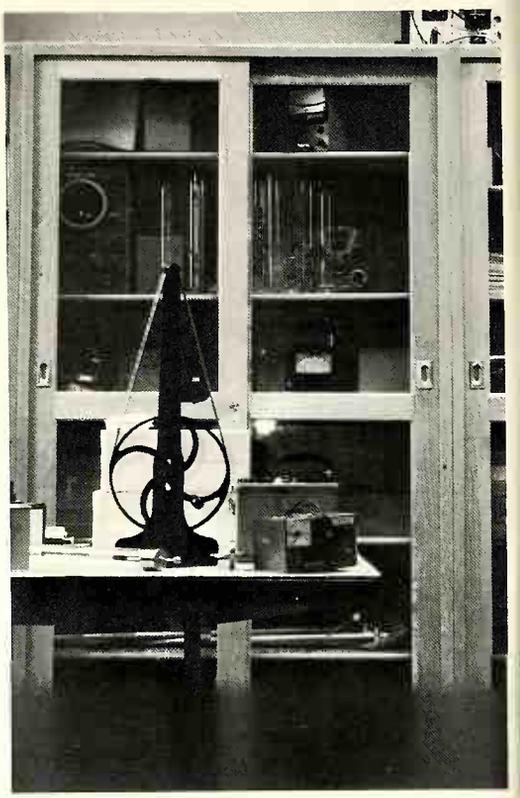
Mr. Hildreth consults scholarship information to aid college-bound senior students. He also helps Mr. Henkel in the monumental duty of counseling seniors, as well as helping all the juniors.

lower right

Aiding Mrs. Tofte in the guidance office are: Barb Knott, Olivia Henkel, Charlene Irvin, Penny Smurdon, Janet Hospers, Kay Dowdell, Carol Lammers, and Eleanor Molengraft.

1. Leave (tú) de casa en seguida.
2 Eat (tú) la ensalada.
3 Go (tú) allá ahora
4 Put (tú) el libro aquí
5 Tell (tú) la verdad a tu madre
bueno, mi hijo

Inquiry and Discovery Prevail in Class and Lab



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Symbolic of the scientific curiosity inherent in all human beings, two chemicals are poured together to produce a totally new substance. Repeating this process over and over, other new substances are discovered, and new horizons are developed as their use is envisaged.

upper center left
Supplying all equipment necessary to perform the many and diverse physics experiments, this seemingly unimportant room is the center of all physics classes.

upper center right
Jon Oesting, totally engrossed in an advanced chemistry experiment, is typical of the dedication and drive of the more scientific-minded students. Third semester chemistry is a relatively new course added to the science curriculum and is primarily an analytic course.

middle center right
The basis of scientific knowledge is acquired through lectures and textbook study. VHS's lecture room provides these facilities in a pleasing atmosphere.

middle right
A bewildered physics student contemplates the use of the correct formulas — $s = v_i t + \frac{1}{2}gt^2$, $v_f = v_i + gt$, $v_f^2 = v_i^2 + 2gs$. Physics class is an endless array of such problems which frustrate and puzzle some students, but fascinate and motivate others.

lower left
lower center right
To help science students perfect the theoretical fundamentals learned in the classroom, the chemistry and physics laboratories have been newly remodeled and installed with equipment valued at $16,000.

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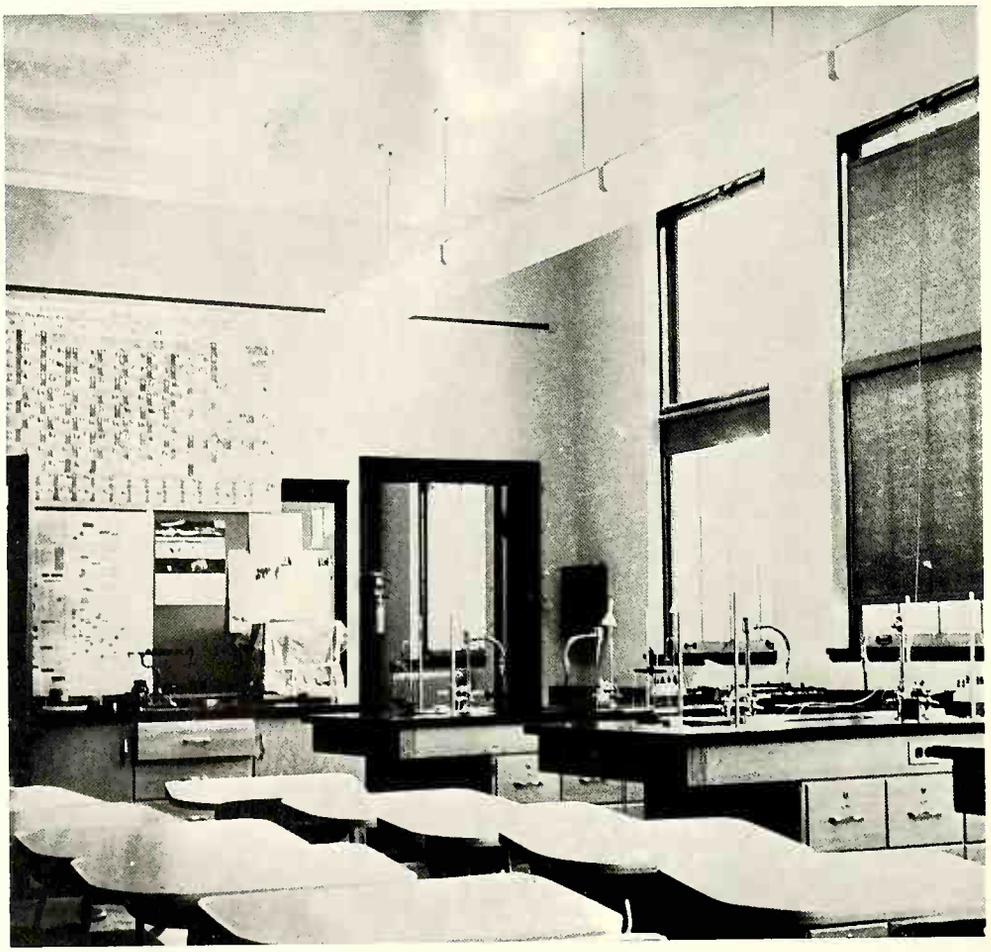
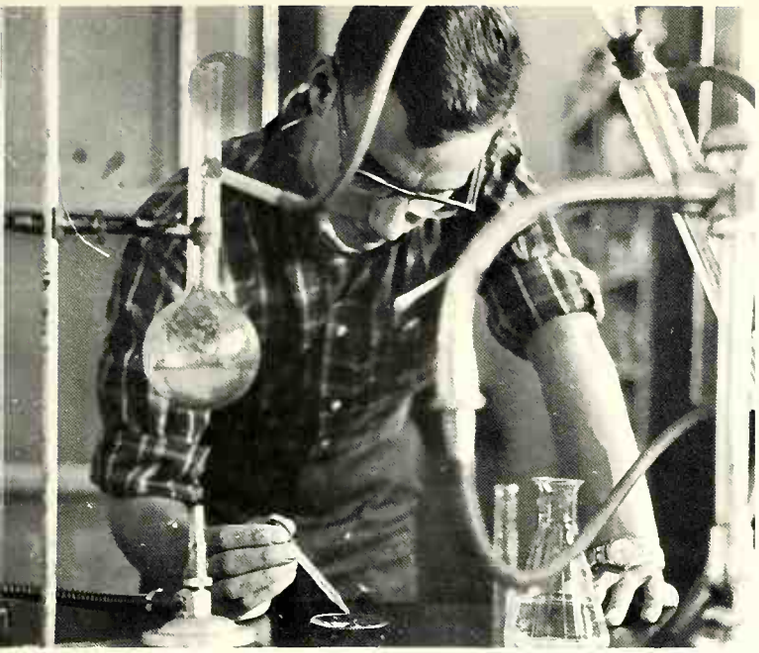
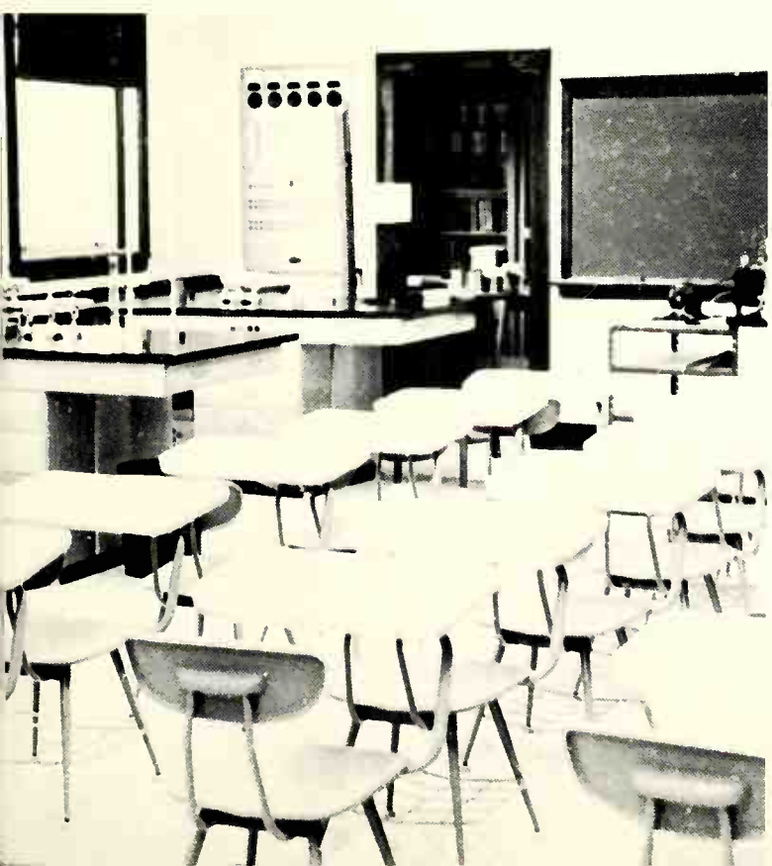
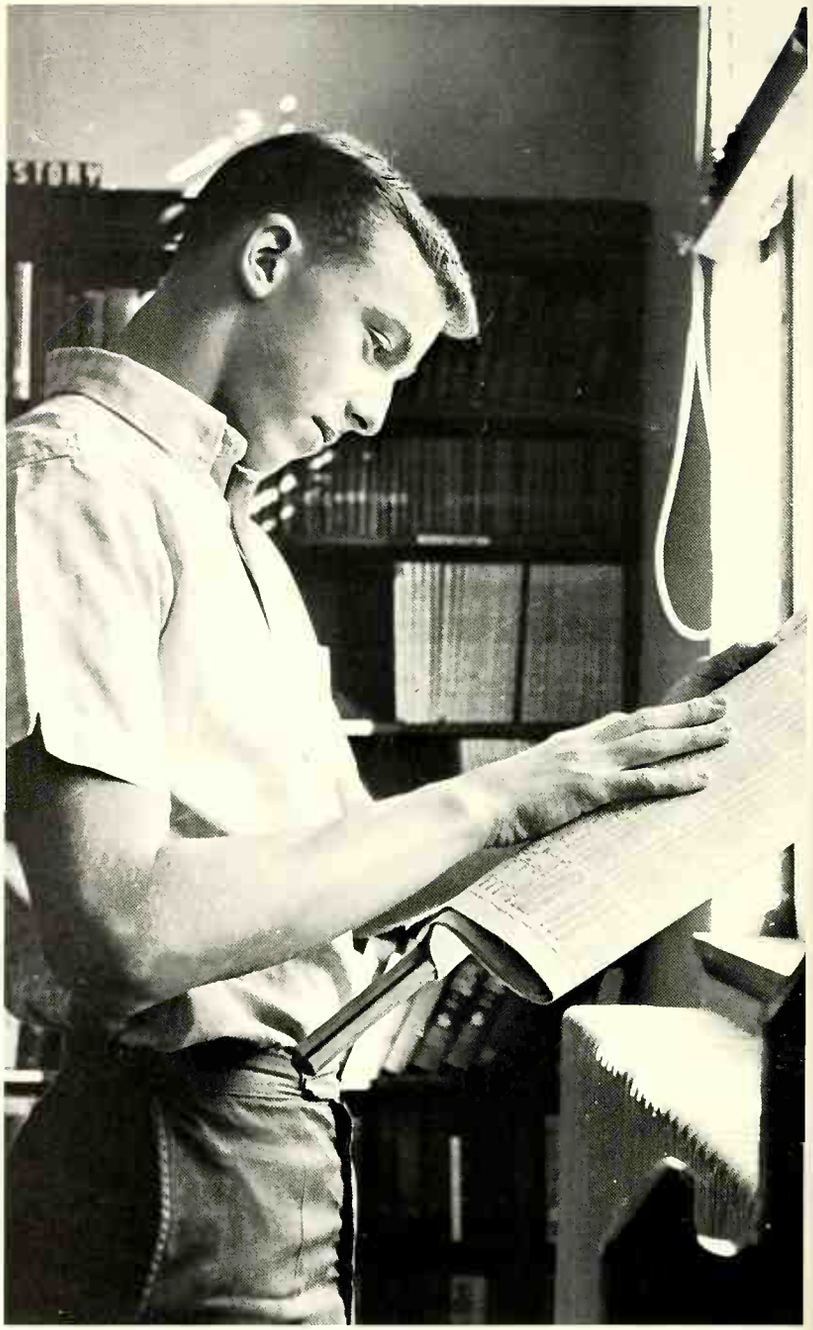
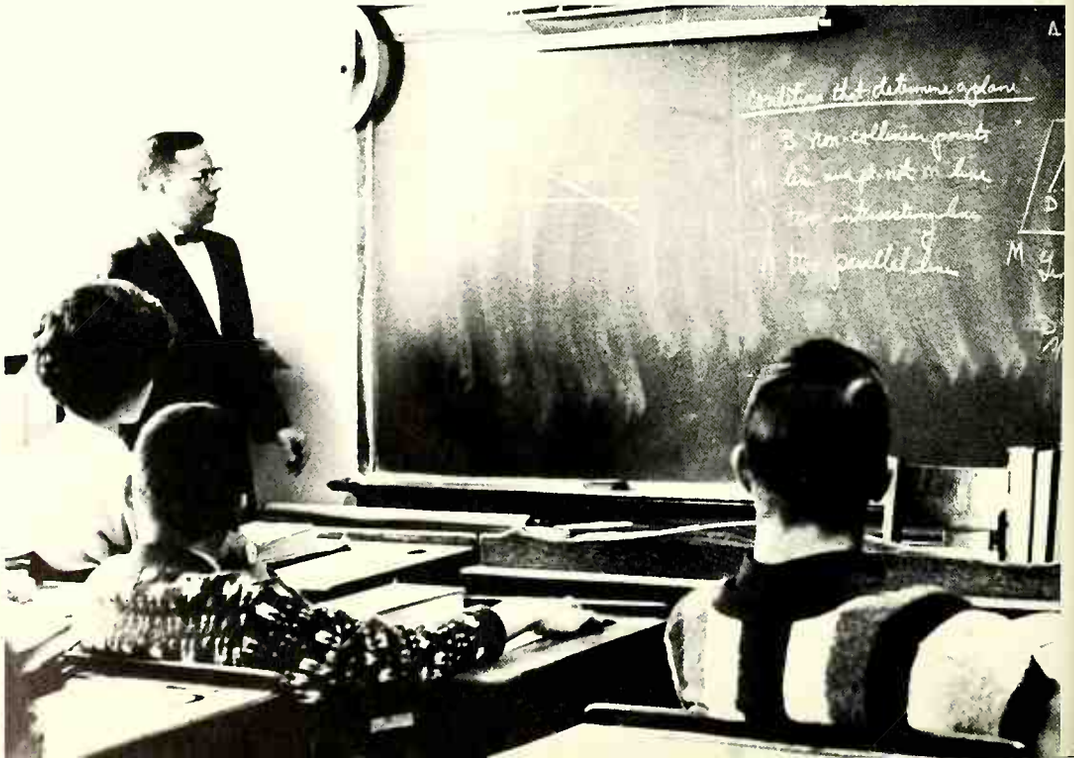
In physical science class Larry Norwood demonstrates operation of a basic engine. Physical science affords a more general and practical view of chemistry and physics than is taught in the specialized courses.











Instilling World Perspectives; Fundamentals of Reasoning

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Dianne Davis relates an important place in history as Stan Vandrey indicates the site on a map. To supplement United States history and economic material, students used maps to think graphically.

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Al Ehnes consults the *Wall Street Journal* to find latest price of IBM stocks. In order to understand the stock market, a basis of United States economy, economics students were required to complete stock market projects, which consisted of purchasing two stocks, keeping abreast of current price fluctuation and analyzing the company's business according to stock price changes.

upper center right

Mr. Ciciora enriches his world history text with film strips of current and past events. In civics and world history visual aids are vital to complete understanding. This year, coinciding with world conditions, world history classes completed a unit on communism in order to learn to cope with this system.

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By the time a student has enrolled in senior math, a test on Friday has become part of his weekly routine. These tests covered the material presented that particular week and pointed out any weakness in the learning process. The topics covered in senior math include trigonometry and analytic geometry.

middle left

To motivate the math-gifted students an honors geometry program is taught by Mr. Maiers. In these classes the emphasis was on individual study rather than teacher instruction. The geometry course included, in addition to the regular curriculum, space geometry, logic, and extra projects.

lower left

This year in honor's algebra Mr. Ellis taught through a new approach and a different book. The emphasis was on the retention of ideas.

English and Foreign Language Afford Insight into Cultures

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Again this year VHS offered a three year German program. Students in German 5 and 6 studied German history in the native language to give them background of the country. Since much grammar and composition is acquired through conversation, ability in this skill is stressed in all German classes.

upper center

Paula Domke, Tom Eiler, and Terry Herman, second year Spanish students, practice Spanish conversation in panel groups. Beginning this year a third year of Spanish was added to the curriculum. This course is primarily a review of grammar and conversation.

upper right

Third year Latin student, Esther Powell, struggles through a chapter of Cicero. For the first time at VHS, a third year of Latin was offered consisting of Cicero and Virgil. After conquering the subjunctive case, second year pupils relive Caesar's Gallic Wars.

middle left

Miss Craig assists the sophomores in the writing of a theme. Emphasis this year in the English department was on original composition. Formerly referred to as grammar, the courses are now taught with the accent on original writing and the appreciation of the fundamentals of usage.

lower left

Larry Thompson presents a speech to the class who in turn will make a constructive criticism of the speech. Besides writing, a major part of English is speaking. Under speech teacher, Mr. James Bailey, students present many short speeches, learn to recite orally, and become relaxed before an audience.

lower center left

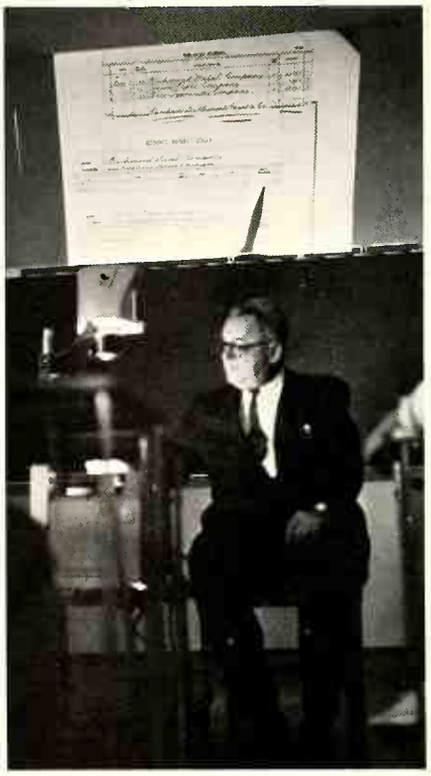
Roberta West, rushing to meet her term paper deadline, struggles through a mountain of information to obtain a few words she can use in her paper. Senior composition this year was taught on the college level, starting with punctuation for meaning, advancing to single paragraph themes, then to short critiques, and climaxing with a formal, footnoted term paper. Senior literature was oriented toward critical analysis with philosophic overtones and toward the writing of critical book reviews.

lower right

An essential part of all English courses is work in the library and all students at VHS are given an introductory course in its use. Assisting the students in their library work was Miss Weems, who served as an interim librarian until the regular librarian, Mr. Gardin arrived in December.

Essentials—Proficiency, Aptness

Expressions of Creative Minds



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To make the explanation of complicated bookkeeping journals, cash receipts, and ledgers clearer, Mr. Wiggins uses the overhead projector, a new piece of equipment that projects a certain page onto a screen in the front of the room. Bookkeeping class introduces those students interested in a business career to the more internal functions of busines.

upper center left

Beginning this year, Mrs. Calzacorto is teaching the girls enrolled in shorthand a newer form of the Gregg system. This progressive step was made to keep VHS graduates among the better prepared business students. Mrs. Calzacorto also teaches Business English, a specialized course concerned with punctuation and language usage in business letters and forms.

upper center right

Another basic part of any business education is the skill of typing. Two years of typing are offered, the first year emphasizes skills, the second advances to more business-like forms and letters. So that the typists will have experience on all types of machines, students are taught on both manual and electric typewriters.

upper right

Mr. Wiggins explains the different types of contracts one enters into each day. He also teaches various types of law that is applicable to everyday problems. To help students become better acquainted with these laws, lawyers are brought to the class to tell about actual trial cases.

middle center right

One of the elective projects for art class is making posters for the Oasis bazaar, and this year Judy Bowman was awarded first prize in this competition. These posters were used to advertise the Christmas bazaar held at St. Paul's Catholic Church by the Catholic women.

middle right

Outling the subject with yarn, Dick Church and Candy Thorgren work on the first step of the composition of their picture. Later colored pebbles will be used to add the details of the scene.

lower left

Zora Parkevich puts a piece of work on the board as a model and goal for other students. The best examples of each project are put on the bulletin board so that all may learn from other's efforts.

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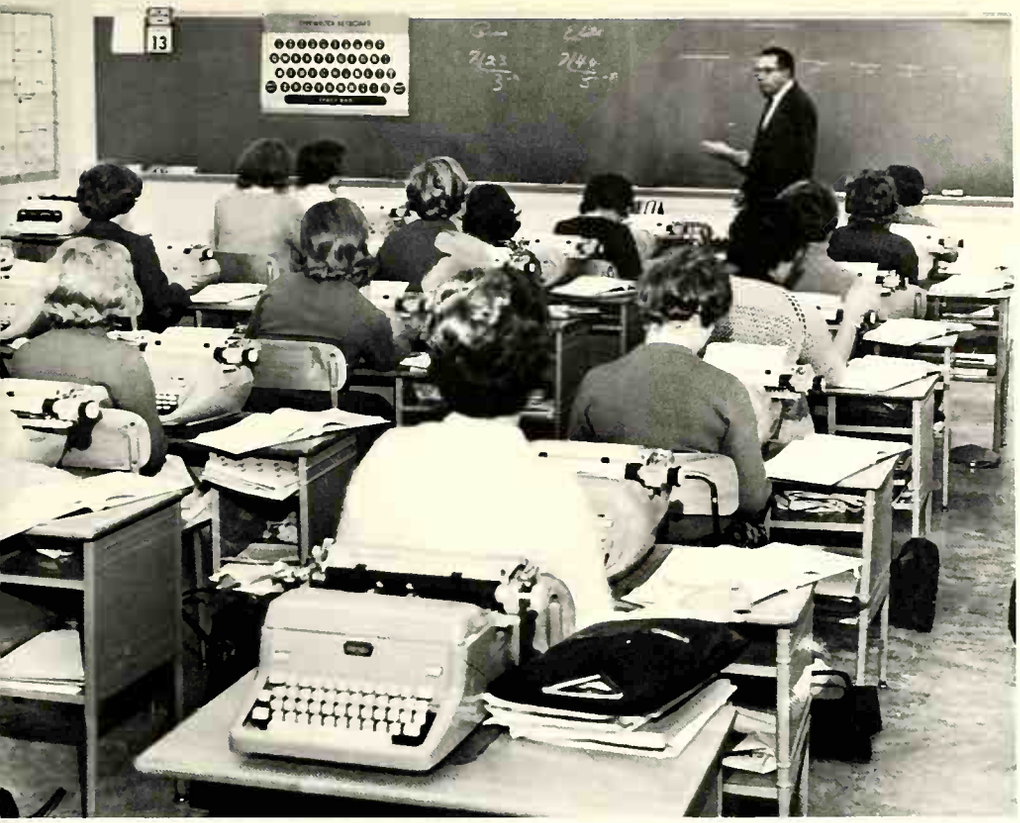
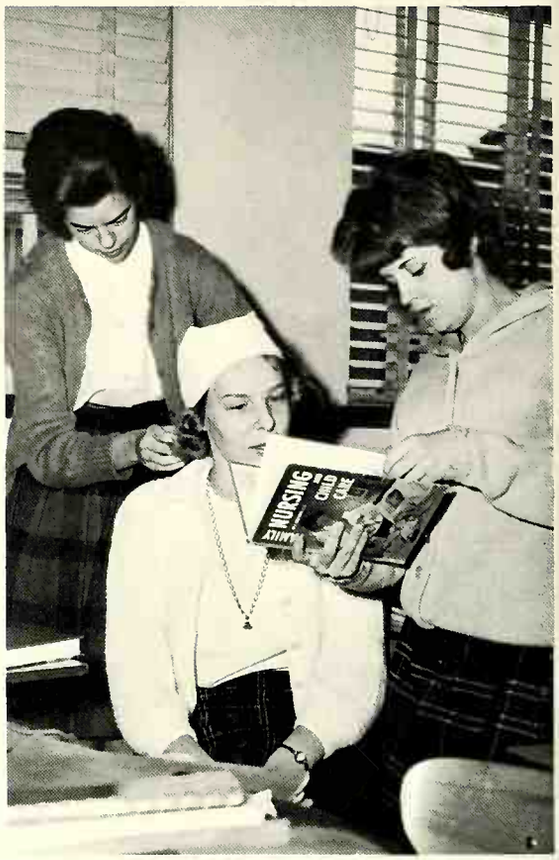
John Rigg, Delmar Lawrence, and Fred Strietelmeier work on their individual art projects. Partly a method of relaxation, but more important, art is a means of self-expression.



SING OUT
FOR THE
OASIS
BAZAAR
MEALS SERVED

Experience for Future Careers—Domestic and Industrial



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Dexterous hands are essential while practicing a skill which will be useful in the care and raising of a family. Girls in home economics learn the many different talents for a homemaker's career.

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Priscilla Ponader and Diana Brown use Betty Johnson as a "working model" during their study of bandaging. Besides learning first aid, girls in home nursing learn how to fight common childhood diseases and how to take care of a baby correctly.

upper right
Working in their individual unit in the home economics kitchen Carolyn Risner, Jean Graham, and Barbara Powell prepare cookies as part of their foods course. In first year foods the girls learn to cook each part of the meal; and, in advanced foods, they learn to plan menus, to entertain informally, and to experiment with foreign dishes.

middle center right
Richard Boron, a mechanical drawing student concentrates on the task before him. Mr. Rhoda teaches his pupils how to read architectural blueprints, which will be useful whether the boy is going into an architectural career or not.

middle right
Harold Thompson and Herb Brandenburg confer on a drawing assignment. Different projects are given during the year to perfect deftness in machine shop blueprint reading.

lower left
Sparks flying, Ken Blaney and Al Ludington are engrossed in welding as a part of their year's project. The purpose of machine shop is to teach boys how to work with their hands as well as with their minds. All machine shop students are required to complete a project such as a chest of drawers, a gunrack, or a coffee table.

lower right
John Fischer and John Slingerland inspect a lathe as part of learning the operation and care of industrial equipment. Not only are projects taught, but the maintenance of the machines is stressed.

Aiding America's Youth, Developing Responsible Citizens

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Keeping a growing body in good physical condition, a group of boys engage in a spirited game of basketball during a physical education class. Besides learning the fundamentals of basketball, the boys are instructed by Mr. Sweet in football, baseball, track, tumbling, and acrobatics.

upper center

In order for girls to become more healthy and better fit as citizens, Mrs. Aikin offers a wide variety of sports, one of which is volleyball. In her physical education class, she also instructs the girls in various exercises as well as the fundamentals of archery and speedball.

upper right

Part of the physical education program includes various relays from the many different sports. Also included is instruction of the basic military maneuvers and their application.

lower center left

Wayne Clendenin practices his newly learned method of artificial respiration on Ray Hewlett. Besides learning anatomy and body care, the students learn major muscles. Health and safety, a required course at VHS, acquaints the students with various first aid methods in case of an emergency.

lower center right

Mr. Sweet, with the help of student teacher Mr. Jones, points out a major organ of the body. Besides anatomy, the students also learn proper body care.

middle right

Rick Sacks and Betty Stinehfield look over Clark Eaton's shoulder as Mr. Stokes points out the various parts of the driver's training car. The purpose of driver's training is to make teen-agers more responsible and better informed drivers.

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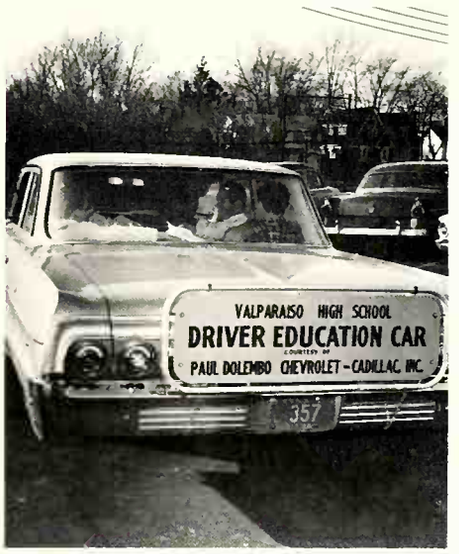
Leaving the school for their regular session of the "classroom on wheels," Mr. Stokes teaches the techniques and rules of safe driving. Once a week each student has class and drives in the dual control car, made available by Dolembo Chevrolet.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VHS Band Upholds the School Tradition of Excellence

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Mr. Miller, band director, looks over the collection of VHS awards, trophies, and plaques accumulated over the years. The concert bands have claimed first place awards in the NISBOVA contest for the last five years. The NISBOVA also sponsors a solo and ensemble contest in which the VHS band members earn individual recognition for their accomplishments.

upper center right
Guiding band activities are the officers: L. Rosenbaum, senior property; G. Ulsh, vice-president; J. Oesting, senior property; A. Ehnes, president; M. Phillips, recording secretary; J. Brown, librarian; J. Loring, secretary-treasurer; J. Buchanan, publicity. Two major highlights of this year were trips to Riverview and to Chicago for a Chicago Symphony Concert.

upper right
The flute section practices articulation and technique. In spare time each individual section meets weekly under the direction of Mr. Miller to familiarize themselves with difficult passages of music.

middle left
Leading the marching band, which performed at the football games during the halftime activities, are Karen Mahon and Mary Blaney, majorettes, and Bill Doshan, drum major. Not pictured is majorette, Sue Rowen.

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The VHS concert band presented two concerts this year. The first was held in December in collaboration with the sixth grade and junior high bands. For the second concert of the season, Raphael Mendez, a well-known trumpeter, agreed to appear as a featured player with the VHS concert band for the second concert of the season.

BAND—FRONT ROW: T. Worden, J. Buchanan, R. Reimer, M. Burrus, E. Powell, M. Hart, K. Carlson, J. Loring; ROW 2: J. Brown, J. Weissert, M. Heinold, M. Meyer, E. Koepke, S. Reinert, B. Klemz, L. Lange, M. Fritz, M. Phillips, D. Reynolds, L. Carr, J. Kent, M. Barnett; ROW 3: D. Clendenin, J. Patton, C. Thorgren, L. Mitchell, L. Laube, C. Stewart, J. Bauer, B. Risley, K. Mahon, E. Peller, L. Rosenbaum, B. Doshan, T. DeFries, R. Parsons, D. Brindle, S. Johnson, N. Johnson, R. Dunbar, J. Johnson, A. Ehnes; ROW 4: R. Eckley, G. Ulsh, G. Burrus, G. Greenwell, L. Stevenson, D. Whiteman, J. Oesting, R. Miller, director, P. Findling, T. Douglas, B. Hildreth, B. Youngblood.

Voices and Personalities Blend in a Unified Group

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Sue Grieger and Toy Ann Lamb warm up before singing during the choir period. The choir members practice every day for one hour besides contributing many hours after school.

upper center left
Providing needed talent, Heidi Schaefer accompanies the choir. Piano accompaniment is as important to the singers as are good voices.

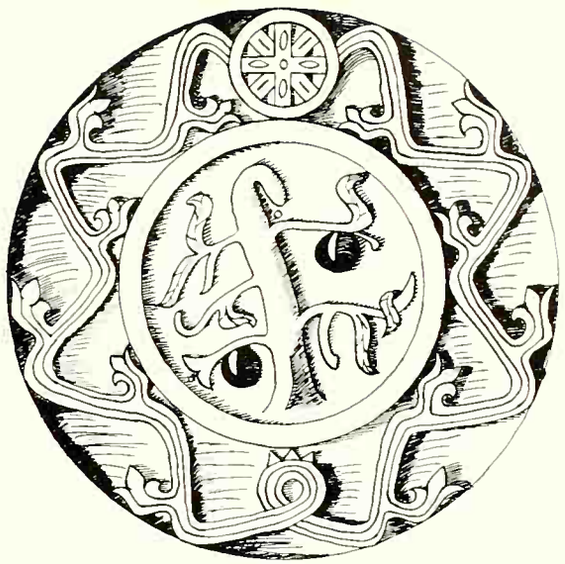
upper center right
Playing a dominant role in the activities of the choir this year are the officers: Bob Hildreth, president; Sue Smith, vice-president; Carol Prahl, secretary; Carlene Forszt, treasurer; and Joe Peterson, librarian.

upper right
Mr. Hurst works with Rog Bowen and Ed Thomas to perfect a duet for the NISBOVA contest which was entered by the majority of the choir students.

lower right
This year the choir presented a Christmas concert, "Echoes of Christmas," a joint concert with the Portage High School choir, and a choir-band concert in the spring as its major concerts. In addition, the ensembles of the choir, Carolers and Troubadours, entertained for various civic groups of the community.

lower left
Girls and boys eligible for dancing parts and leads for "West Side Story," take dancing lessons under the direction of Lura of Lura's School of Dance. To supplement their efforts, the choir attended Purdue's presentation of the stage play. "West Side Story" was the biggest undertaking of the year and entailed dancing and private voice lessons, strenuous practices, costume fittings, and long sessions of set construction.

CHOIR -- FRONT ROW: R. Cleaveland, M. Schumacker, V. Wozniak, L. Lange, P. Holmes, L. Carr, J. Malasto, J. Weissert, C. Anderson, C. Hall, S. Schuessler, C. Hurst, director; ROW 2: T. Beach, K. Shewan, S. Shook, M. Heinold, D. McDonald, C. Hamilton, S. Newcomb, N. Young, L. Heimberg, C. Prahl, H. Schaefer, C. Forszt, C. Smith, R. Rinker; ROW 3: G. Greenwell, P. Weissert, J. McAfee, J. Lampl, J. Rayder, J. Gingerich, R. Bowen, R. Tarner, S. Smith, B. Hildreth, H. Brandenburg, S. Grieger, P. Ponader; ROW 4: M. Steinbach, G. Harden, E. Thomas, B. Youngblood, G. Coble, B. Fulton, B. Coolman, J. Peterson, T. Worden, T. Roberts, A. Tuesberg, D. Whitman, R. Johnson.



Knowledge through Cooperation

Extra-curricular activities at VHS generate a spirit of good will and cooperation throughout each student's school life. In an atmosphere of enthusiasm and fellowship each Valparaiso High School club both serves the school and develops the individual in selflessness. Working with fellow members, each student learns how to better associate with people and is afforded the opportunity to make many new acquaintances.

Helping others, cheering the team, ushering, acting, painting, working and being a part are a few of the joys and duties the students display in a voluntary air of companionship. Yet, extra-curricular activities include more than fun. They include Knowledge through Cooperation.

Student Council Serves as Governing Body of VHS

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Linda Herman, GAA president, presents a petition to council president Mike Carlin. One of the major functions of the Student Council as the governing body of VHS is to grant extra curricular activities permission to hold additional activities. The petition is signed by the principals, passed by two-thirds vote of representatives present at that particular meeting, and finally signed by the president.

upper center right
President Mike Carlin discusses school problems at a Wednesday afternoon council meeting. These weekly meetings are open to students who may offer suggestions concerning possible improvements for the school.

upper right
As president of the Student Council, Mike Carlin serves as president of the entire student body. Aiding Mike in conducting the year's activities were officers Scott Vickers, vice-president; Kay Nielsen, secretary; and Rollie Parsons, treasurer. Mr. Wiggins and Mr. Mundy were the council's advisors.

lower center
Student Council members are elected from each home room. On the average, one member represents twenty-five students. The representatives strive to improve school standards, to instill into the students a sense of accomplishment, and to set examples of leadership throughout the student body.

lower right
"Counters" Vic Vaughn and Zane Cole participate in conducting the Student Council census of the traffic problem on the stairways. This year's council encouraged school improvement by trimming hedges on the grounds and by continuing the courtyard project.

STUDENT COUNCIL — FRONT ROW: J. Harris, M. Heinhold, M. Carlin, S. Vickers, K. Nielsen, R. Parsons, M. Fritz, D. Marrell. ROW 2: G. Nightingale, J. Brown, H. Wagner, J. Ashton, L. Arnold, L. Anderson, P. Barthold. ROW 3: R. Wood, B. Risley, J. Cole, R. Krieger, M. Spliter, T. Harrington. ROW 4: B. Sievers, G. Burrus, B. Hildreth, A. Henkel, J. Nicklas, Z. Cole, G. Caryer, S. Kautz, T. Eiler, E. Whitton.

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OFFICE GIRLS -- FRONT ROW: B. Gast, C. Prahl, C. Furr, N. Wachholz, N. Hart, M. Daniels, J. Frye; ROW 2: C. Barnes, W. Warner, C. Forszt, J. Freeman, K. Mahon, M. Fritz, S. Shook, C. McAfee.

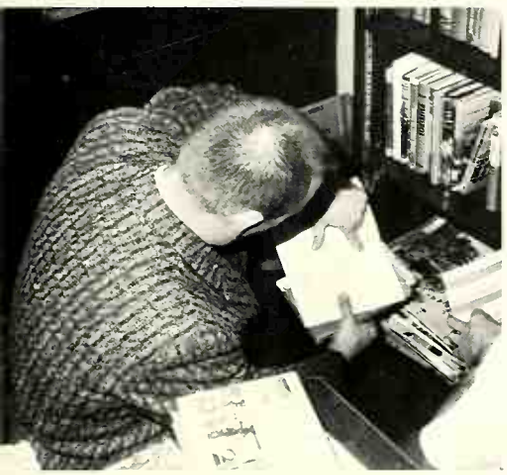
middle center left

NURSE'S OFFICE--FRONT ROW: B. Maudlin, Y. Fivecoats, M. Miller, J. Skinner, F. O'Keefe, J. Swisher; ROW 2: J. Underwood, M. Howser, M. Ridgway, J. Deu, V. Harrison, S. Dayton, C. McAfee.

lower center left

STUDENT SECRETARIES -- FRONT ROW: D. Young, V. Komyanek, R. Beck, J. Mann, J. Gingerich, M. Schumacher, C. LaHayne, S. Callahan; ROW 2: S. Hoback, P. Falls, J. Toth, B. Underwood, D. Scott, V. Kriston, J. Jopes, M. Howser, C. Anderson, S. Lawrence, S. Grundell; ROW 3: B. Gast, V. Deckro, K. Sheffield, P. Barthold, K. Mahon, S. Smith, J. Hudgins, V. Harrison, S. Robinson, D. Husband, S. Miller.

Students Donate Time and Effort in School Services



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Peg Barthold types the afternoon announcements in the principal's office during the seventh period. The office girls use their study periods to assist Mrs. Price by running errands and performing various essential tasks.

upper left
To keep account of the day's patients, Mary Ann Miller makes an entry in the nurse's office log book. Under the direction of Mrs. Bauer, student nurses took care of sick students until they left for home or returned to class.

upper center left
Betty Gast makes her daily rounds to pick up seventh hour attendance slips. Besides working on attendance, the office girls assist Miss Chilian by performing various time-saving errands.

upper right
To gain secretarial experience, Shirley Lawrence dittoes a test for a teacher. Other jobs student secretaries do are typing tests, filling out forms, and grading papers.

upper center right
Mr. Gardin sorts through a stack of new library books that have just arrived. Later student librarians will catalog and shelve them as well as check out books and attempt to reorganize the card catalog.

far upper right
In preparation of showing a film, Tom Roberts threads a film into a VHS projector. Projectionists donate their study hall time to those teachers needing assistance in the operation of the movie machines.

middle center right
LIBRARIANS -- FRONT ROW: S. Field, G. Field, D. Ludington, R. Witters, D. McDonald; ROW 2: L. Lindberg, S. Long, M. Ridgway, N. Oelling, J. Sawtell. R. Gardin, head librarian.

lower center right
Serving as this year's projectionists are Craig Harman, Gene Miller, Tom Roberts, Dee Bloeman, and Dick Brindle.

VALPOST Informs Students of Current School Events

upper left
Nancy Findling checks a recent VALPOST before sending it to the printer. Nancy spent two weeks at the Indiana High School Journalism Institute to learn about newspaper production which included headline and editorial writing.

upper center
Meeting the deadline involves careful planning and cooperation. Nancy spent extra hours at home organizing the dummy in order to get the paper out on time.

upper right
Carlene Forszt draws an advertisement for the next issue. The ads sold to local stores, dress shops, and restaurants helped finance the paper.

middle right
The VALPOST reporters pay close attention to the discussion at a bi-weekly meeting. At these meetings they decided ways of improving the paper through new ideas and interest articles.

lower left
Sue Pierce and Meredith Hart discuss next year's paper with Mrs. Inman, the new advisor. Sue and Meredith will be co-editors during the 1964-65 school year.

lower center right
Cindy Leetz and Earl Deal are the VALPOST speciality editors. Students enjoy reading about each other's experiences in "I Seymore," Cindy's column, and about sports events in Earl's "Square Deal."

lower right
Lee Trulock, circulation editor, folds and stacks the papers for distribution to the students. Every other Tuesday students looked forward to receiving their VALPOST in the seventh hour class.

BRIGHTEN YOUR WORLD THROUGH

VALENIAN Provides Record of Student Life

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Editor-in-chief Kay Nielsen checks the dummy, making sure the staff is on schedule to meet the next deadline. Kay plans the overall arrangement of the VALENIAN and is in charge of all the work done on the book, and all the material included in it.

upper center left
Beth Roby, copy editor, proof reads and corrects some material submitted by a junior assistant. Beth is responsible for and must approve all copy written and must make sure a uniform style is maintained throughout the yearbook.

upper center right
The major job of Bonnie Just is to prepare the layouts for final printing. This consists of pasting up the several components of each page and making final adjustments on each double page spread before they are sent to the printer.

upper right
Accuracy and efficiency are imperative characteristics for Jackie Swisher, album section supervisor; Jeanne Jopes, office manager; and Larry Rosenbaum, sales manager.

middle center left
Photo editor Barb Engel crops pictures that will be used in future layouts. It is Barb's duty to initiate picture ideas, to supervise all picture-taking, and to keep abreast of school activities so they can be represented in the book.

middle center right
Assisting the copy editor, Cabell Cropper, chief copy writer, checks the date the printer's proofs will be ready.

middle right
Mr. Brown, VALENIAN advisor, and the "staff men" arrange cafe chairs for a group photo. His main job is to teach the various processes in all phases of yearbook publication and with the help of the Editorial Board, to establish general editorial policies.

lower left
Heading the business department is Tom Worden who handles the financial aspect of the VALENIAN. He must decide with the advisor all matters of policy affecting costs, collections, and expenditures.

lower center left
Art editor Margie Phillips draws up a layout for the basketball spread. This year Margie was instrumental in initiating a new general concept of layout design. Another of her major duties was designing the cover.

lower right
Working as apprentices to the senior editors are Mary Schwanholt, Eileen Koepke, Peg Dowdell, Merilee Fritz, Georgene Nightingale, Diane Marrell, and Bob Tofte.

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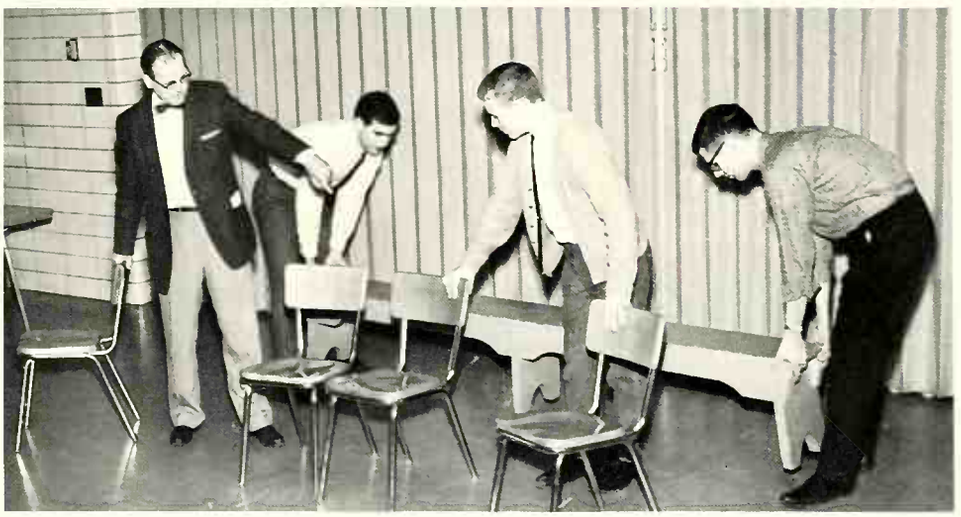

Hi-Y Promotes High Ideals in Its Members

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HI-Y USHERS—FRONT ROW: R. Sievers, E. Whitton. ROW 2: R. Steele, J. Shinabarger, B. Rouch, E. Deal. ROW 3: J. Powell, V. Smith, Z. Cole. The Hi-Y ushers were helpful and courteous as they sought to limit the confusion at all home basketball games These Hi-Y members volunteered their services. They were easily recognized in their new green and white vests

upper center right
Students mingle at a sock-hop sponsored by the Hi-Y after the Indianapolis Attucks game. This dance replenished the Hi-Y treasury as well as provided enjoyment for the students.

upper right
The projects committee meets to plan future activities which included a swim party and decorating for the Halloween party held at the YMCA for local children. Also, on certain Sundays, the members, as a group, attended community churches to acquaint themselves with different religions

lower left
Tuesday afternoons the fifty-five Hi-Y members gather in Mr. Gaston's room for their bi-weekly meeting.

lower right
This year the Hi-Y officers and sponsors, John Nicklas, secretary-treasurer; Roger Sievers, president; Zane Cole, vice-president; Warren Onken, sergeant-at-arms; Mr. Herrick; Larry Rosenbaum, chaplain; and Mr Gaston, revised the constitution of the club.

Y-TEEN

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To Grow as a Person, Friend, and Christian

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To begin the year, the Y-Teen officers and board sponsor a Mixing Bowl to acquaint former and prospective members, to explain the purposes and ideals of the of the organization, and to consider how they can best serve the community.

upper center left
Y-Teen officers Lee Trulock, secretary; Val Deckro, treasurer; Pat Kane, president; Taffy Sheffield, program chairman; and Jeanne Jopes, vice-president, display the Y-Teen emblem. The triangle symbolizes the world-wide organization of the Y-Teens. One side stands for one's body; another, for one's mind; the third, for one's spirit or soul. This year's faculty advisors were Miss Craig and Mrs. Reichard.

upper center right
Emphasizing the religious aspect of Y-Teens, Reverend Saygers of the Methodist Church addresses members at the annual Induction. At this candle-light ceremony new members are brought into the organization.

upper right
Cindy Leetz models a patch-pocket dress at the fall fashion show. The dresses were provided by Sheffield's dress shop and were modeled by Y-Teen members.

lower left
At the Mixing Bowl, Pat Kane outlines the club's activities and projects for the future. The Y-Teens sponsored the Dessert for Dads, the Mother-Daughter Banquet, a candy sale, and numerous dances. A new project this year was the donation of food baskets to the Public Welfare Department.

middle right
In November the Y-Teens sponsored a masquerade dance called a "Can-Can" Dance. For admission each couple brought two cans of food. This food was in turn donated to the Public Welfare Department. Diane Marrell, an organ grinder, and Tim Harrington, her monkey, were judged as the most originally dressed.

lower center
Escorted by Y-Teen officers and board members, the King of Hearts court consists of Steve Kautz, Glen Coble; Ray Hewlett, runner-up and Mike Carlin, king; Ed Whitton, Tom Copper, and Gordon Ulsh. The crown bearer is Patty Hart, and the septer bearer is Mike Bozarth.

lower right
Y-Teen members vote for their favorite senior boys for King of Hearts. The court reigned over the dance held on Valentine's Day at the Memorial Grade School gym. Proceeds went to the Heart Fund.

GAA Motivates Athletic Participation

far upper left
GAA begins its year with a coketail party in the breezeway. New and old members became acquainted, and president Linda Herman explained the rules and purposes of the club.

upper left
Big and little sisters gather at Boucher Gym for the annual initiation. Green hair spray, flour, and a cow's head made this year's initiation an unforgettable one.

upper center left
Nancy Oelling, speed-a-way sporthead, collects the equipment for a game. This and other activities promoted ideals of health and sportsmanship among high school girls.

upper right
The gymnasium sees action on Friday nights when GAA members begin to play badminton These Friday night sessions became weekly occurances this year.

middle right
Linda Herman served as this year's GAA president. With her other officers, Mary Ann Miller, secretary; Sherry Sheetz, treasurer; and Ellen Bernhart, vice-president, she planned the activities and conducted the meetings which were held every third Wednesday. In addition to the activities within the school, the club sponsored intermural demonstrations and playdays.

lower left
Mrs. Aikin, this year's new GAA sponsor, supervises volleyball, a favorite major sport. She has aided the club by encouraging membership and organizing free play periods.

lower right
Basketball, an exciting sport at VHS, is enjoyed by the feminine set. Girls earn points through participation in these sports toward their GAA letters and state plaques.

Practical Experience through Teaching and Acting

upper center left
Charlene Irvin, secretary, and Judy Skinner, treasurer, meet with Mrs. Bowman, sponsor, to outline the program for the next FTA meeting. The FTA met once every six weeks and was beneficial to students considering teaching careers. Attendance at these meetings was mandatory for the cadet teachers.

upper center right
Cadet teacher, Rosemary Hampson, confers with Mrs. Phillips of Gardner School after class is dismissed. Cadet teachers assisted various grade school teachers every day for a semester. The cadets spent eight weeks in one class and the remainder of the semester with another age level. At the end of the semester each cadet teacher was required to submit a term paper and a notebook of observations. Through these experiences, students learned the problems and techniques which would be valuable to them in future years.

upper right
Mrs. Bowman announces an FTA meeting featuring junior high teacher, Mr. Bird. Through experienced speakers, representative of various levels and phases of education, the club members received information and ideas which would help them to become capable and understanding teachers.

middle center left
Sue Grieger, costume chairman, works with the Dramatics Club cast in creating the special effects for costume and make-up. Randy Eckley, set chairman, also contributed to the behind the scenes action by designing and building the sets.

lower left
The Dramatics club officers, Sandy Newcomb, president; Kathy Carlson, vice-president; Jane Weissert, secretary; Darrell Kristo, treasurer; and Esther Powell, publicity chairman; for the first time attempted to present a three act play, *1984*.

lower right
Rehearsals for *1984*, a story of a world overcome by totalitarianism, began in November under the supervision of Kathy Carlson, student director. The play was scheduled for late March at Thomas Jefferson Junior High after months of 7 a.m. practices before school.

Cheerleaders and Pep Band Keep VHS Spirit High

upper left
Junior varsity cheerleaders practice a new yell after school before a Friday night ball game. In addition to cheering at the home and away basketball games, the cheerleaders actively supported the junior varsity football team.

upper center left
The sophomore cheerleaders, Pam Cowan, Judy Malasto, and Tish Platt were elected by the student body in September after vigorous practices during the summer and first week of school.

upper right
The cheerleaders honor the basketball coach with a traditional cheer during a time out. In November while attending a cheerleading conference at Indiana University, the cheerleaders learned new yells and chants which became familiar to basketball fans.

middle center right
At a fall football game the varsity cheerleaders Marlene MacDonald, Sue Dauberman, Jane Bauer, Betty Stinchfield, Carol Prahl, and Julie Frye, are caught for one brief moment standing still.

upper center right
Working closely with Pep Club, the varsity cheerleaders lead a yell at a varsity basketball game. This cooperation between the cheerleaders and Pep Club was highlighted by the apperance of the shaker section at the basketball sectional.

lower left
The Boy's and Girl's Pep Club join with the other spectators in singing the Star Spangled Banner. The pre-game procedure also includes the school song, "Oh Green and White Arise to Glory," composed by August Bucci in 1931, and our traditional greeting cheer, "We Welcome You."

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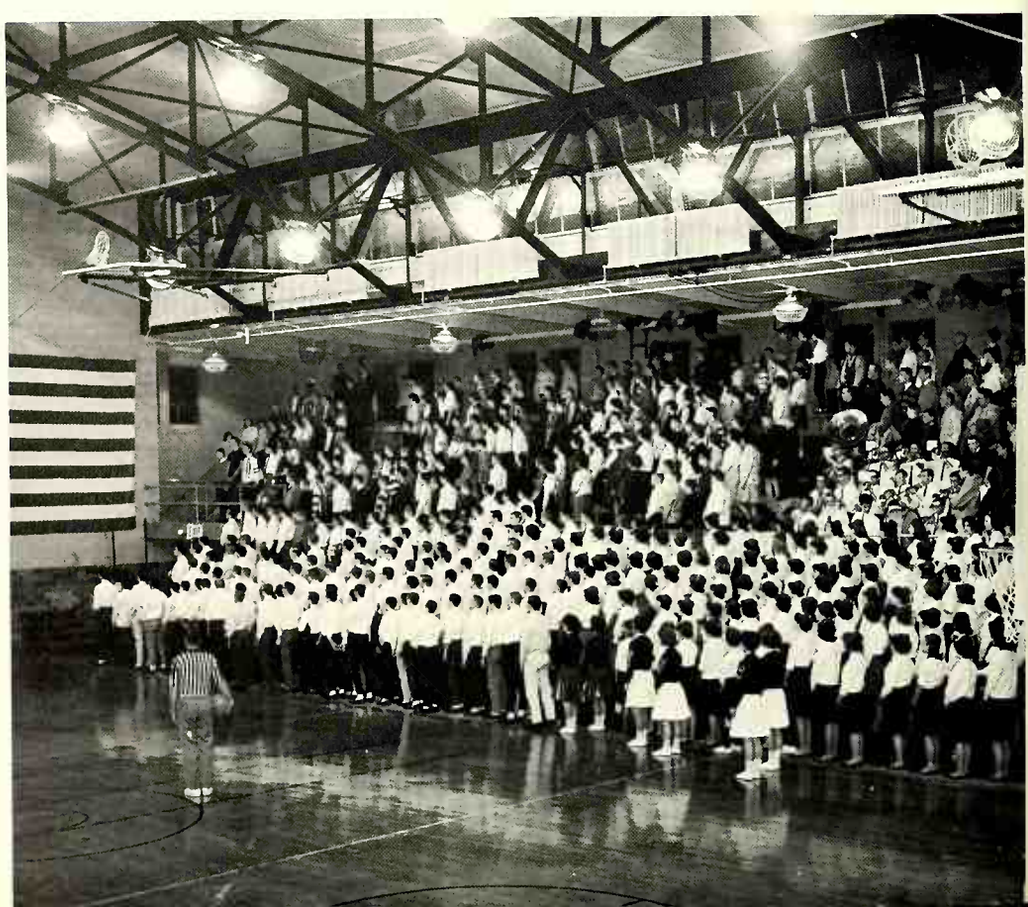
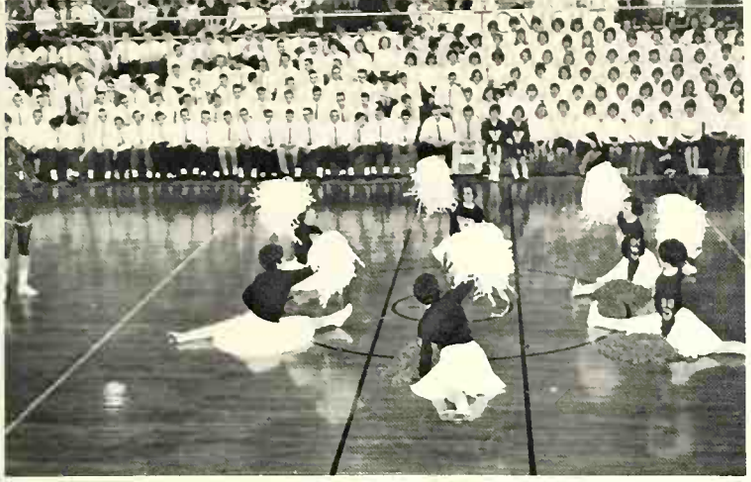
The pep band, composed of selected boys from the band, entertains during the half time of a basketball game. In addition to playing at the games, the pep band played at pep sessions and some football games.





Pep Club Promotes Loyalty, Sportsmanship, and Spirit

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Pep Club members attend a weekly meeting to plan for coming sports events and dances, to learn new cheers, and to debate the dress code for basketball game.

upper center left
Students search for tickets to be punched at a home basketball game. Mr. Griesbaum took tickets at the north door, the entrance for the Pep Club members.

upper center right
One hundred nineteen Pep Club girls work long hours after school perfecting the traditional tourney shaker section. The section honored the VHS team with silhouettes of the players and the opposing teams with special cheers.

upper right
Characteristic of Valpo home basketball games is the white shirt section composed of five hundred twenty Pep Club girls and boys. This section promotes true sportsmanship, loyalty, and school spirit in accordance with the Pep Club motto: "To win with dignity—to lose graciously."

lower center left
The girls Pep Club was guided this year by the officers: Nancy Lightcap, president; Ruth Beck, vice-president; Cindy Leetz, secretary; and Joan Beck, treasurer. This year a board was added consisting of four permanent members and seasonal sportheads. The sponsors were Mr. Maiers and Miss Good.

lower center right
John Nicklas, president; Jim Powell, vice-president; and Steve Kautz, treasurer, guided the boys Pep Club to a year of vitality and spirit.

lower right
Boys Pep Club encouarges originality with new ideas for this year's section in green ties and arm bands

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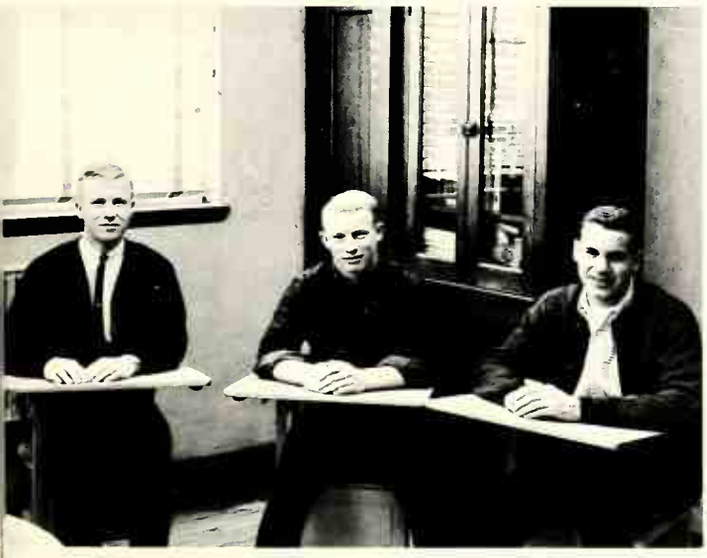
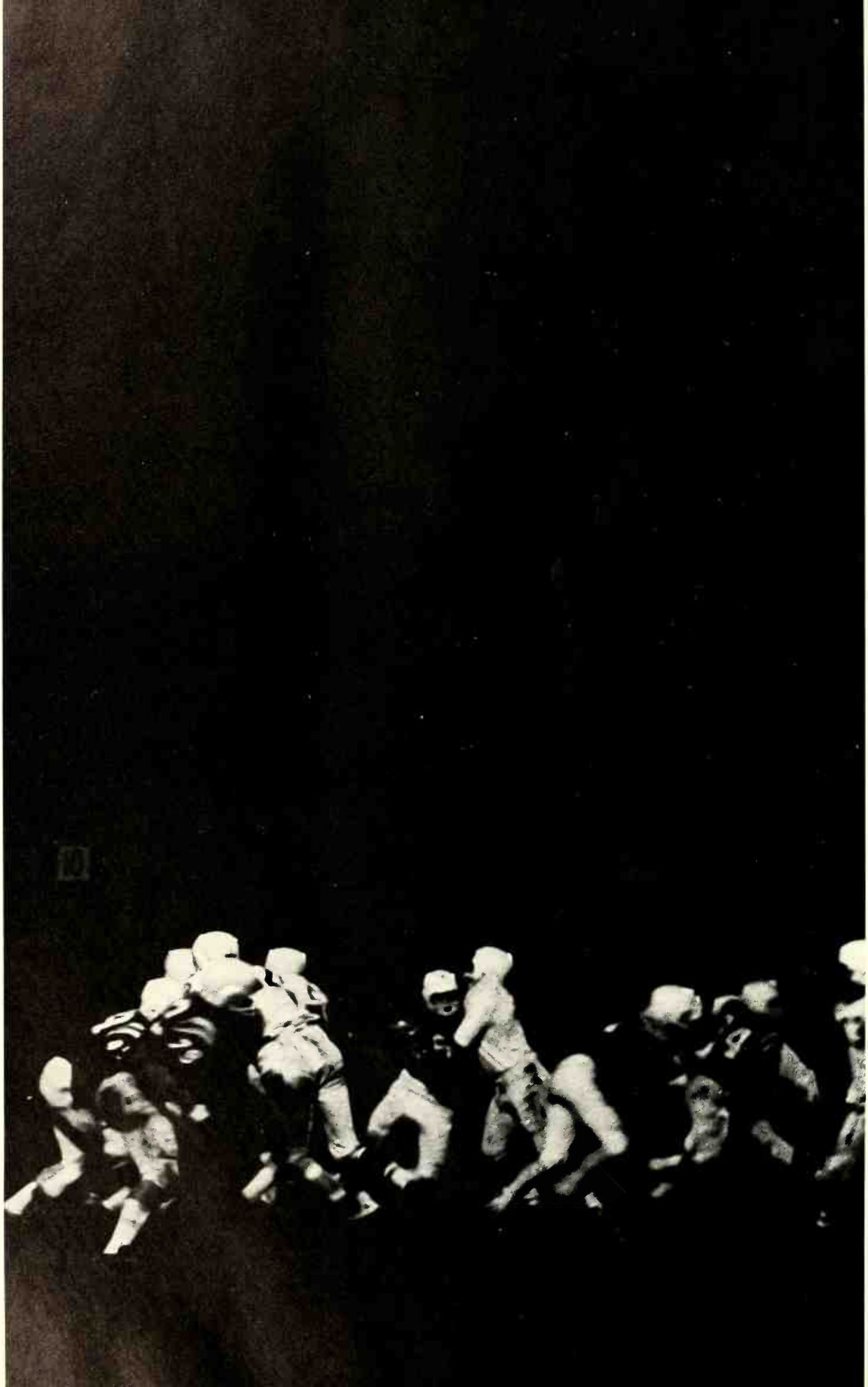
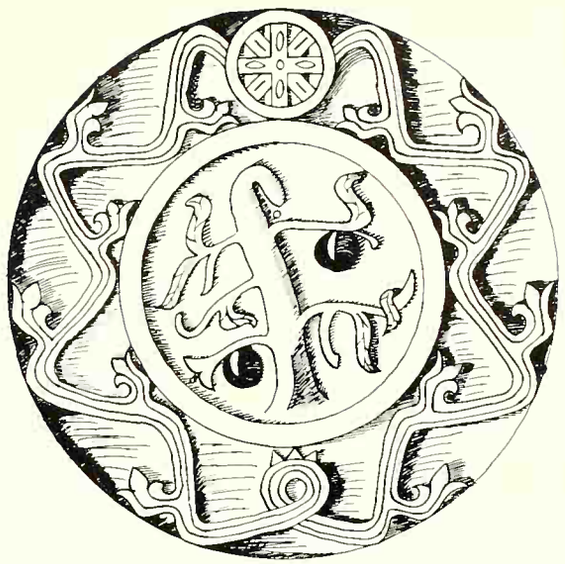






Strong Mind, Strong Body

A strong mind in a strong body is the aim of Valparaiso High School's athletic department. For every athlete, grueling preparation is necessary to obtain his ultimate potential and excellence in his particular field.

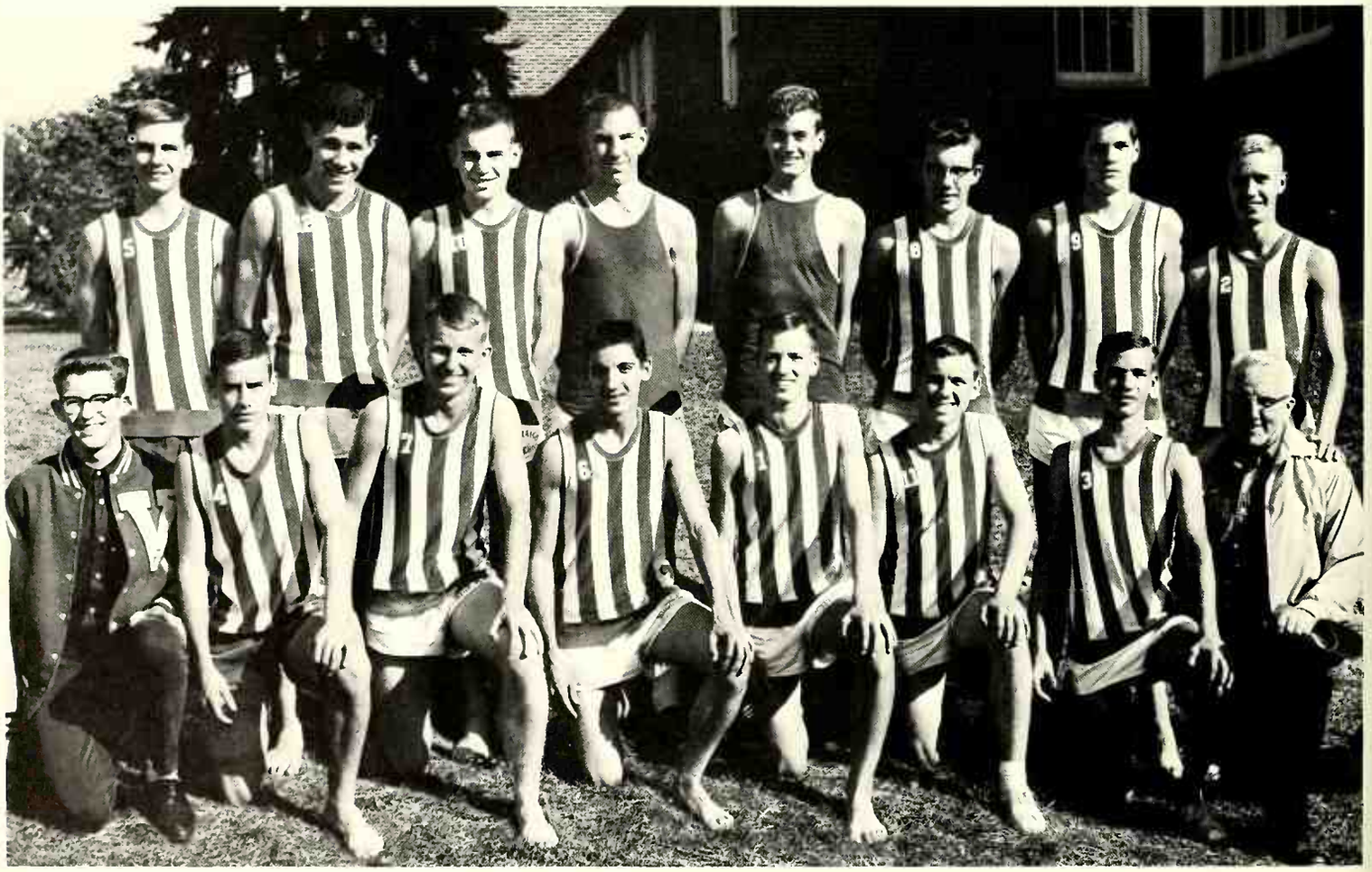
The will to succeed is the ingenerate instinct which drives the athlete to triumph. The spirit of competition provides the extra thrust which carries the ball over the goal line or forces the final surge which breaks the tape.

Team effort unites the players and coaches in the common goal to win. Sportmanship aids the individuals to grow in ideals.

Spirit unites the school, fans and players alike, toward the best efforts of all.

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY

Valpo 15	Portage 45
Valpo 15	Chesterton 50
Valpo 20	Michigan City 41
Valpo 15	Knox 50
Valpo 15	Kouts 50
Valpo 15	Liberty 50
Valpo 15	Wheeler 50
Valpo 27	Gary Roosevelt 30
Valpo 15	Crown Point 50
Valpo 22	Hobart 37
Valpo 25	LaPorte 35
Valpo 15	Lew Wallace 50
Valpo 15	Horace Mann 50
Valpo 18	E. C. Roosevelt 39
Valpo 15	Hammond Clark 50
Valpo 15	Hammond Tech 50
Valpo 15	Froebel 50
Valpo 16	Tolleston 47
Valpo 15	Whiting 50
Valpo 18	Hammond High 39
Valpo 15	Emerson 50
Valpo 15	E. C. Washington 50



VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY—FRONT ROW: R. Zulich, manager; R. Freeman, D. Whitman, R. Ronco, M. Copper, S. Vandrey, G. Neuner, K. Pifer, coach. ROW 2: T. Copper, E. Deal, C. Koeppen, P. Nuland, D. Herman, S. Rice, M. O'Neill, P. Barker.

Harriers Shine at Sectionals, Regionals, State

upper center left
Anxious to start the meet, the varsity team lines up at Forest Park. The varsity teams have posted a 76-7 record over the last seven years. This year they received trophies for Hobart, Shortridge, and LaPorte Invitationals. The sophomore team won 10 meets and lost 1 to place second in the Northwestern Indiana High School Conference.

upper center right
Ken Pifer's voice blares out over the hills of Forest Park as he urges his team to triumph. He has been cross country coach for twenty years and originated cross country as a major sport at VHS. Mr. Pifer, this past year, guided the team to conference and sectional titles, its first regional victory, and to third place in the state contest.

upper right
Mr. Stuber is the timekeeper for VHS home cross country meets. He has clocked numerous records set by senior runner Earl Deal. One of Earl's accomplishments was the all time Gary Gleason course record of 9:16.8. Tom Copper, Chuck Koeppen, and Earl Deal were this year's varsity captains.

JV CROSS COUNTRY—FRONT ROW: D. Simmons, J. Siewin, R. Meyers, C. Comeford, D. Brittingham, D. Mann, D. Follis. ROW 2: R. Edwards, M. Roberts, F. Towe, T. Campbell, R. Geyer, R. Kuehl, D. Dogan, P. Frye, A. Taylor, R. Zulich, manager. ROW 3: D. Hemmersbach, R. Sievers, S. Seelig, R. Berrier, R. Urschel, R. Crockett, M. Spitler, T. Hampson, K. Pifer, coach.

Pigskin Carriers Fight for Fame

upper center left
Viking backfielder fights for extra inches as Hammond Tech tacklers pull him down.

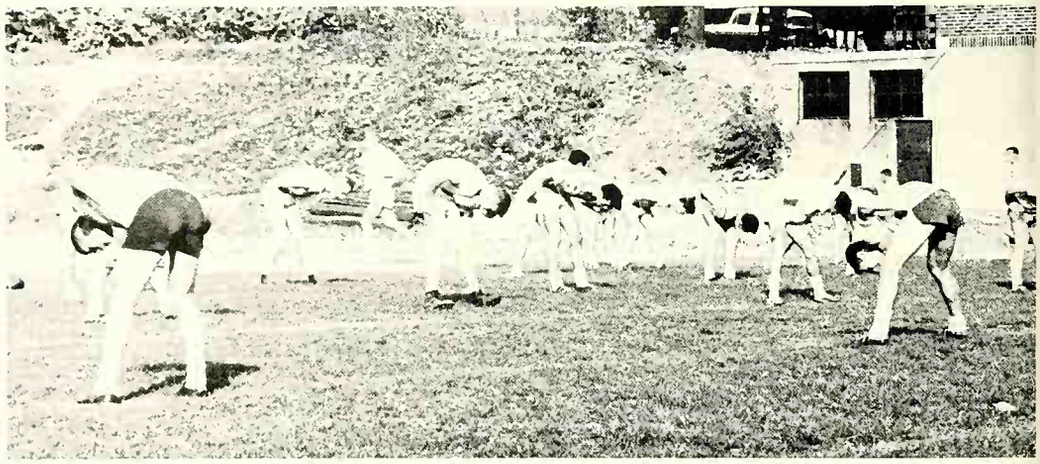
upper center right
Before the game gridiron men dash through the traditional football hoop. This hoop is made by the class in charge of that home game.

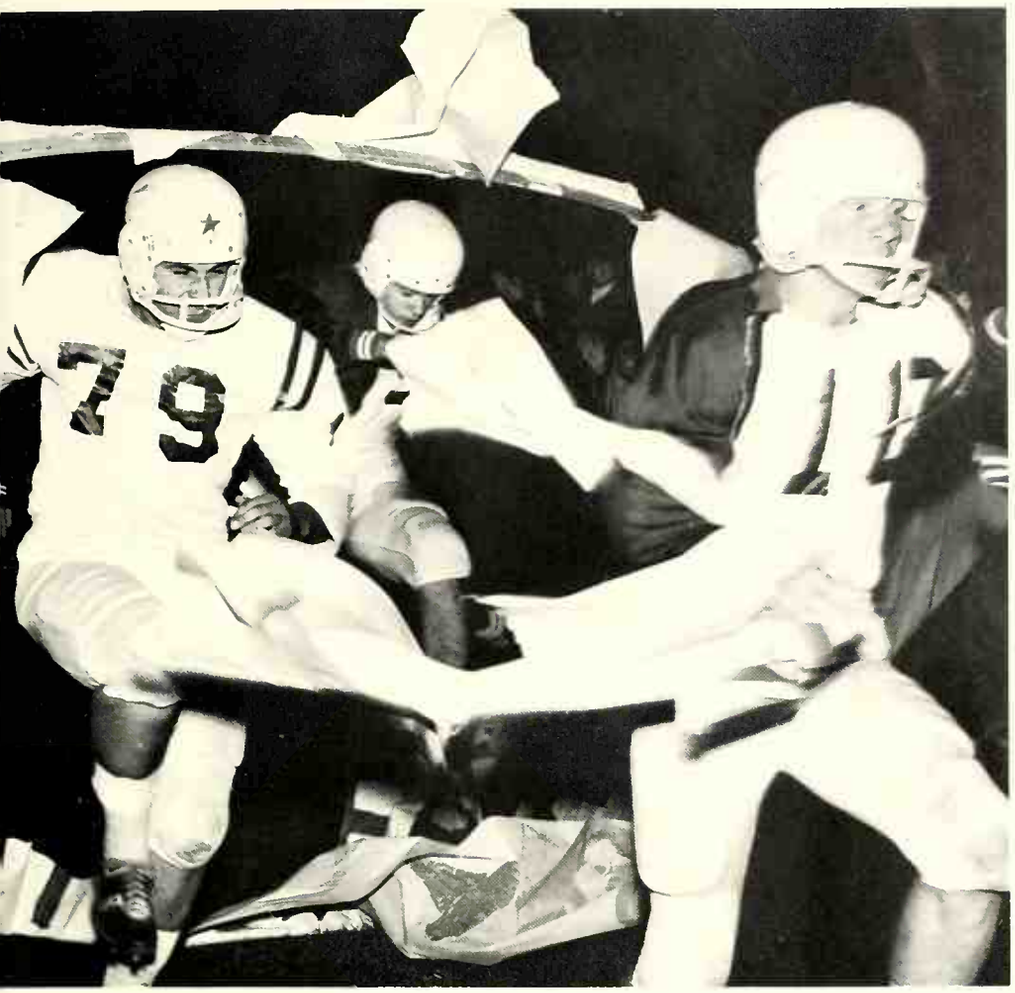
middle left
Practices for Viking football began August 15. When school convened the boys spent every evening after class perfecting their basic skills.

lower left
Down markermen prepare to measure the next play, while a referee watches the Valpo-Hammond Tech action.

lower center right
As line and defense strengthen, the Viking winning streak begins following Hammond Tech battle.

lower right
Bob Tofte and Mike Dodd, football managers, check over first aid supplies before practice. Their duties include keeping records of plays and helping the coaches whenever needed.





VARSITY FOOTBALL

Valpo 13	Lew Wallace 31
Valpo 25	Froebel 30
Valpo 14	Horace Mann 28
Valpo 7	Chesterton 14
Valpo 13	Hammond Tech 14
Valpo 28	Tolleston 6
Valpo 26	Emerson 0
Valpo 21	Portage 13
Valpo 14	Edison 12

JV FOOTBALL

Valpo 7	Emerson 14
Valpo 13	Griffith 26
Valpo 6	River Forest 13
Valpo 12	Chesterton 0
Valpo 33	Crown Point 6
Valpo 25	Portage 6

VARSITY FOOTBALL—FRONT ROW: D. Craig, E. Whitton, T. Douglas, J. Berry, R. Raines, J. Wellsand, W. Bond, G. Caryer, T. Gahl, G. Sigler. ROW 2: M. Dodd, manager; D. Marrell, G. Zoller, D. Hill, J. Nicklas, D. Knott, I. Townsend, Z. Cole, R. Wood, J. Spencer, S. Clemens, G. Coble, S. Vickers, R. Tofte, manager. ROW 3; J. Bailey, coach; R. Rhoda, coach; T. Stokes, coach; R. Krieger, J. Cole, B. Risley, R. Armstrong, C. Case, A. Tuesburg, M. Mounce, P. DeHaven, L. Jones, R. Coolman, C. Norman, T. Harrington, T. Herman, J. Powell, W. Onken, C. Jankowski.

JV FOOTBALL—FRONT ROW: G. Sigler, E. Naillieux, N. Johnson, R. Buehrle, R. Raines, W. Bond, M. Dougherty, J. Wellsand. ROW 2: C. Morris, R. Armstrong, G. Miller, J. Phillips, M. Green, D. Bochnicka, D. Birch, T. Eiler, G. Jones. ROW 3: V. Sweet, coach, M. Baird, manager; C. Conover, G. Hall, T. Moore, M. Howell, T. Herman, G. Caryer, L. Stevenson, D. Marrell, T. Stokes, coach.

Vikes Complete Another Season of Experience

upper left
Time out is called as John Nicklas replaces a loose contact. This is not an unfamiliar scene at VHS sports events.

upper center left
The four coaches pause to discuss the afternoon practice. This year two new coaches, Bill Bailey and Jim Bailey, were added to the VHS football staff. During the season they and Mr. Rhoda worked with the line and assisted Mr. Stokes, head coach.

lower center right
Coach Stokes briefs Glenn Coble on the next maneuver. Stokes determines every play during the game and informs the team by means of rotating linemen. Through earphones he is aided by suggestions of strategy from the observations of the assistant coaches in the press-box.

lower right
Determination signifying the fighting spirit of the Vikes is displayed from the sidelines.

Matmen Boast First VHS State Wrestling Champ

upper center left
Dave Brown's opponent appears to be heading for the edge of the mat as Dave employs a neat "far leg pickup" to prevent hitting the edge. Dave has participated in wrestling all four high school years.

upper center right
Dave Hill shakes hands with his opponent as the referee signifies his victory with the traditional raising of the right hand. After wrestling in state competition, Dave ended the season with a 21-3 record. Throughout his high school career he has lost only two dual matches in regular competition.

upper right
Al Ehnes applies a "near leg far arm pin" to win one of his eighteen matches this season. Although heavily favored, he was unable to compete in regional and state competition due to an injury. By winning 36 matches Al set a new four year wrestling record at VHS.

middle left
Bob Book is congratulated by fellow matmen, Dave Hill, Ron Whitman, and Chuck Case after winning a match. Bob wrestled in the 180 weight class.

lower left
Mike "Reggie" Hannon applies a "figure four body scissors" to obtain one of his twenty-four victories in an undefeated season. Mike went on to win his sectional and regional matches and become the state champion in the 103 pound class. He is the first Viking to ever win state championship honors.

lower center left
Coach Stuber shouts words of encouragement to one of his wrestlers during an important meet. Mr. Stuber has been the coach at VHS for the last three years.

lower right
VHS matmen closed the season with a 6-7-1 record. The team defeated Hammond High, the state champs for the last two years.

VARSITY WRESTLING

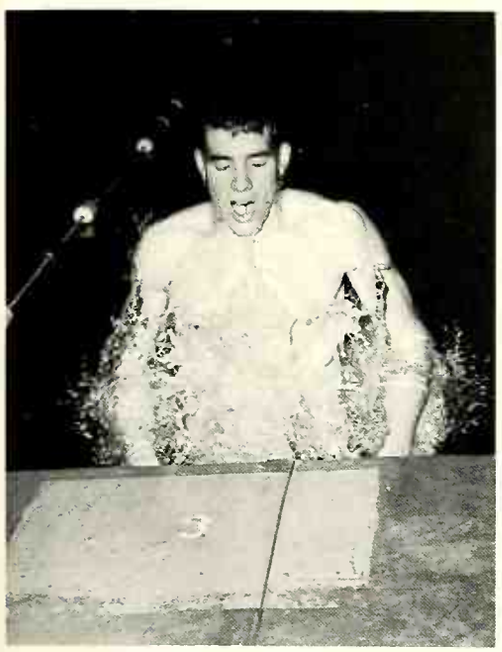
Valpo 35	Dyer 15
Valpo 25	Hammond High 23
Valpo 31	Portage 8
Valpo 22	E.C. Roosevelt 22
Valpo 20	Hammond Tech 22
Valpo 19	Gary Edison 24
Valpo 29	Crown Point 20
Valpo 14	Gary Roosevelt 33
Valpo 18	Hammond Clark 27
Valpo 27	Gary Emerson 13
Valpo 14	South Bend Washington 27
Valpo 21	LaPorte 15
Valpo 16	Gary Horace Mann 28
Valpo 17	Lowell 23

WRESTLING -- FRONT ROW: H. Phillips, R. Sacks, R. Whitman, M. Hannon, D. Simmons, T. Douglas, statistician, D. Steel, manager; ROW 2: C. Stuber, coach, D. Hill, A. Ehnes, S. Vandrey, D. Brown, B. Book, C. Case, M. Clouse, R. Frye, manager.

SWIMMING

Valpo 32	South Bend Adams 63
Valpo 60	Horace Mann 35
Valpo 38	Muncie Burris 57
Valpo 37	South Bend Washington 58
Valpo 69	Lew Wallace 26
Valpo 58	Michigan City 37
Valpo 38	South Bend Riley 57
Valpo 44	Laporte 51
Valpo 69	Andrean 26
Valpo 36	South Bend Central 59
Valpo 78	Froebel 15
Valpo 37	Penn 37
Valpo 66	Whiting 29
Valpo 46½	Howe Military 48½
Valpo 44	Hammond High 51
Valpo 70	Chesterton 21
Valpo 69	Portage 26
Valpo 68	Wirt 27

SWIMMING — FRONT ROW: P. DeHaven, T. Collins,M. Doren, D. Dodds, J. Bailey, coach. ROW 2: W. Shefchik, D. Stanford, B. Fritts, J. Powell, J. McAfee, J. Deal, B. Johnson. ROW 3: R. Church, D. Swihart, V. Vaughn, D. Naullieux, S. Larson, J. Hutton.



Swimmers Host and Win Sectional

upper left
Bob Fritts races the "hundred-yard butterfly" in a practice run at the YMCA. The medley relay team, consisting of Bob Fritts, Bob Johnson, Vic Vaughn, and John McAfee, also set a new school record.

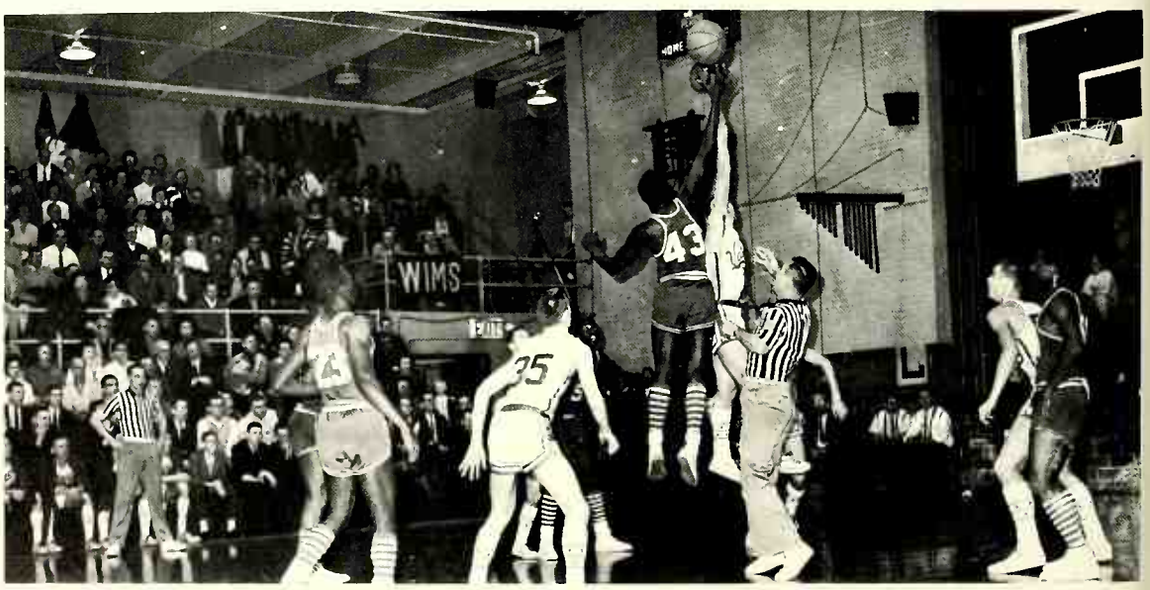
upper center right
Jim Bailey, the new swim coach, calculates the statistics of each swimmer after a practice.

upper right
Viking diver Randy Reuter executes a "reverse tuck." Don Dodds, Dave Swihart, and Randy Rueter were the VHS divers this season. Because all three are underclassmen, all will return next year.

middle center right
Bob Johnson takes a welcome breath of air after a strenuous heat. This year he set new school records in the forty-yard, fifty-yard, and hundred-yard freestyle events. Bob placed third in the fifty-yard freestyle at state. His three and one half points placed Valparaiso fifteenth in the meet.

lower center right
VHS swimmers strain for distance as the starting gun goes off. Valparaiso won the sectional held at the Valparaiso University pool, qualifying nine boys for state.

lower right
A.A.U. official Dave Happel explains to Randy Rueter the fine points of swim officiating. Dave is in charge of starting, timing, and recording the scores made by each swimmer.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VHS Marches to Sectional, Regional, and Semi-State

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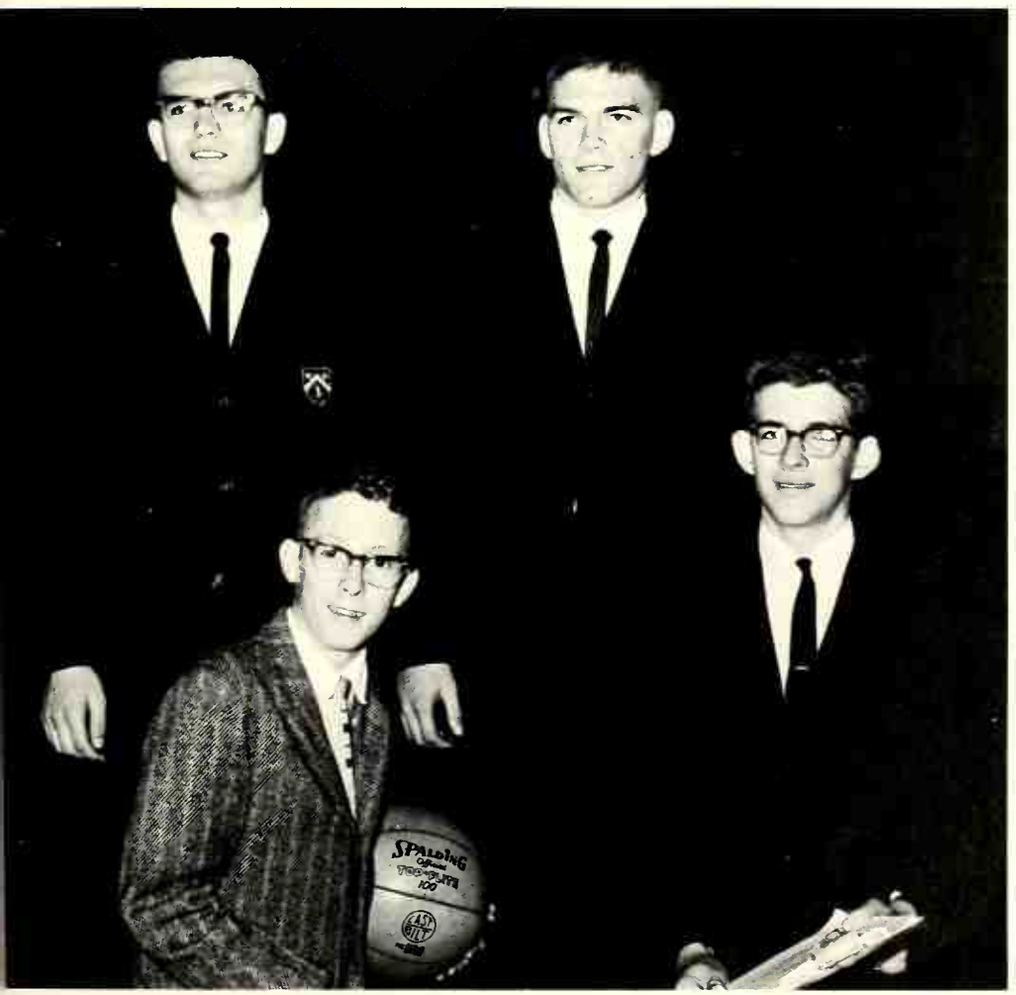
Mr. Sweet gestures emphatically while explaining a crucial play to the team during a Viking time out. Under the coaching of Mr. Sweet, the basketball team attained an 18-9 season.

upper center left
Mike O'Neill shoots a jump shot during an important conference game with the Tolleston Raiders. The Viking team later tied Tolleston for second place in the NIHSC conference.

upper center right
Appearing to be airborne, Ralph "Boo" Krieger fights for a rebound. In most of the games this season VHS has out-rebounded its opponents.

upper right
Mr. Sweet discusses a play with Tom Hampson and Mike O'Neill. This season sophomore Tom Hampson was top rebounder and junior Mike O'Neill was high scorer. The two boys are wearing this year's new warm-ups.



middle left
Mr. Sweet's magic slate is the center of attention as the coach graphically illustrates a play. Mr. Sweet used his specially designed slate to devise plays both during games and time outs.

lower left
The score is tied, the first half is almost over, and the crowd anxiously waits to see who will get jump ball.

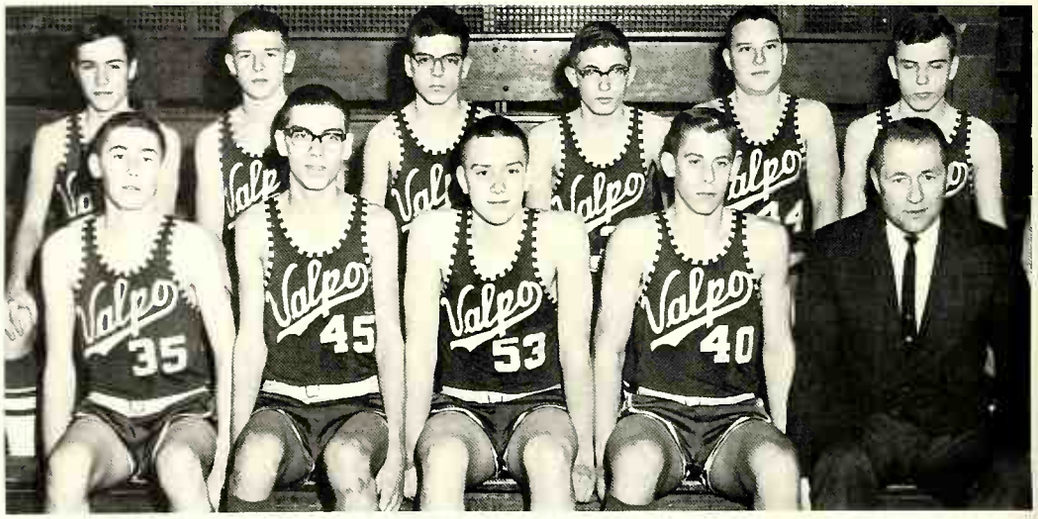
lower right
Working hard throughout the basketball season are (left) Larry Rosenbaum and Rich Edwards, managers, and (right) Scott Vickers and Randy Zulich, statisticians.

After 31 Years of Regional Defeat, the Vikings Are Champs

upper right
Tom Eiler, Steve Seelig, Paul Frye, and Tom Hampson practice freethrows during noon hour. Mr. Sweet required every basketball player to shoot 100 each noon. This year Mike Carlin set a new freethrow record by making 219 consecutively. The total team average is .791 which is believed to be a national freethrow record.

upper center right
Coach Ciciora instructs the three senior varsity teammates Mike Carlin, Tom Copper, and Ralph Krieger in weight lifting. This was also an important phase of basketball summer training.

upper right
At last Vikings celebrate regional victory! To qualify for regional competition, Valpo won the Chesterton sectional — the twenty-second and eighth consecutive victory. This was the first year VHS participated in the regional at Logansport.



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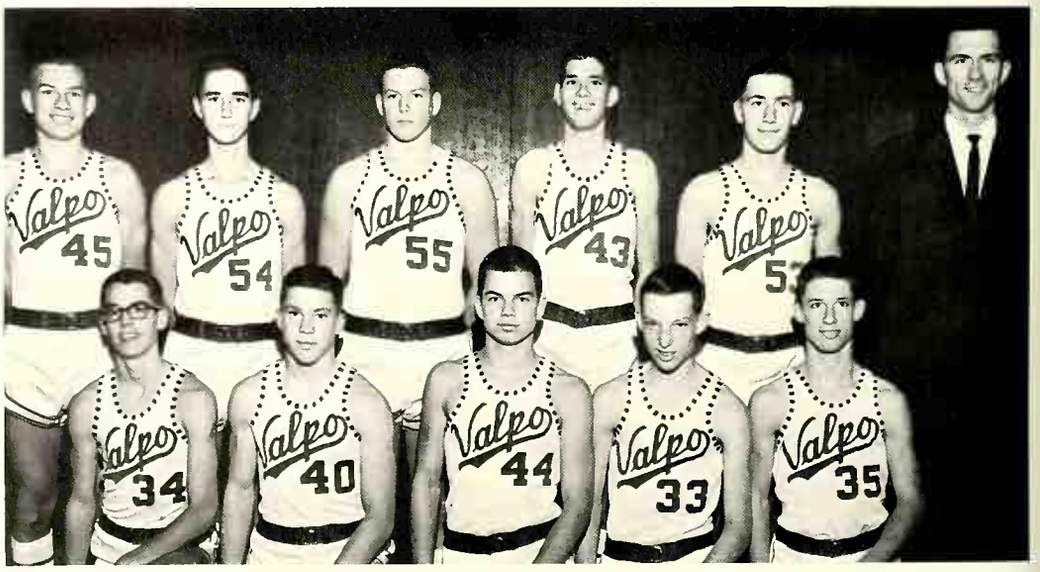
This year, for the first time, Valpo has a sophomore basketball team. It consisted of those boys who did not make the official JV team and was under the direction of Tom Stokes. Our sophomore team played JV teams from other schools.

lower left
Under Coach Ciciora the JV team closed the season with a 10-10 record. These boys have shown much promise and will be a big asset to next year's varsity team.

lower right
The varsity team, a relatively young team with two sophomores, five juniors, and only three seniors, gave VHS another traditionally successful season.

SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL — FRONT ROW: B. Kuehl, D. Hemmersbach, B. Sievers, C. Conover, T. Stokes, coach. ROW 2: J. Siewin, J. Phillips, T. Eiler, V. Detlef, D. Burch, R. Meyers.



JV BASKETBALL — FRONT ROW: P. Frye, R. Raines, G. Caryer, M. Roberts, J. Wellsand. ROW 2: T. Moore, M. Spitler, T. Herman, S. Seelig, D. Dogan, D. Ciciora, coach.

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Valpo 78	Portage 53
Valpo 94	E.C. Washington 76
Valpo 81	Chesterton 62
Valpo 97	Hammond Tech 74
Valpo 73	Michigan City 80
Valpo 80	Froebel 96
Valpo 81	Lafayette Jefferson 91
Valpo 80	Lebanon 79
Valpo 93	Hammond High 75
Valpo 87	Whiting 65
Valpo 66	LaPorte 80
Valpo 57	Lebanon 73
Valpo 77	Horace Mann 67
Valpo 79	Hammond Clark 62
Valpo 90	Tolleston 80
Valpo 82	Emerson 58
Valpo 77	E.C. Roosevelt 89
Valpo 64	Crown Point 67
Valpo 89	Lew Wallace 65
Valpo 98	Crispus Attucks 100
Valpo 95	Portage 50
Valpo 90	Morgan 56
Valpo 91	Chesterton 72
Valpo 74	North Judson 71
Valpo 64	Pioneer 62
Valpo 80	Greencastle 77
Valpo 67	Lafayette Jefferson 73

VARSITY BASKETBALL — FRONT ROW: D. Knott, M. Copper. ROW 2: V. Sweet, coach; T. Hampson, M. O'Neill, S. Seelig, R. Krieger, M. Carlin.

Intramurals Provide Competition for Basketball Aspirants

upper left
Ken Sommers takes aim as he prepares to shoot a free throw during an intramural game. The intramural league was created to give any boy an oportunity to take part in supervised basketball.

upper center left
Part of one of eight intramural teams sit along the sidelines watching their teammates play and waiting their chance to get into action. This year sixty-four boys participated in the intramural program.

upper center right
Gene Miller and Steve Rice jump for the tip-off during one of the Monday night games. Other games were played on Saturday afternoons.

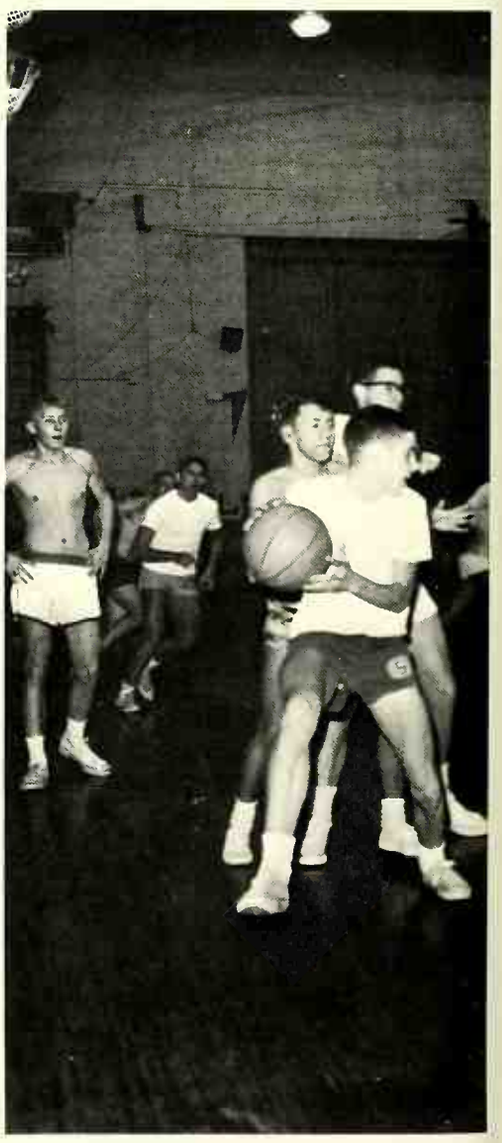
upper right
Scott Vickers, a team captain, breaks away for a quick basket as the opposing intramural team hustles back on defense.

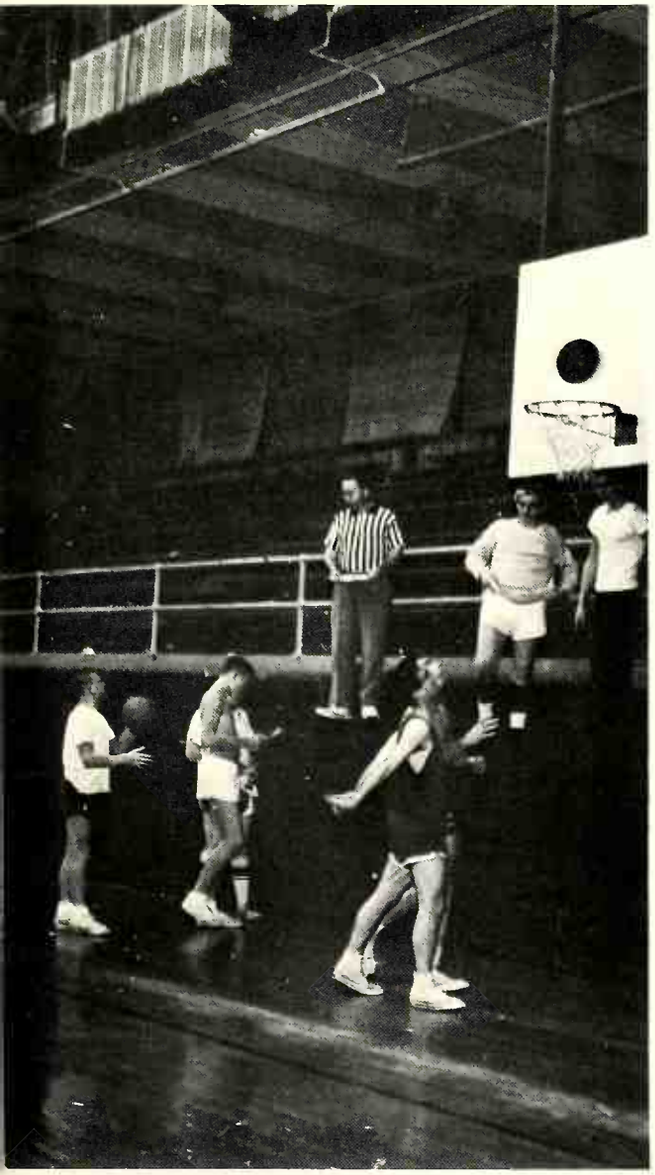
lower left
Mr. Ellis calls a play during one of the intramural contests. Assisting Mr. Ellis as referees were Knoefel Jones, Jim Donley, and Bud Heimberg, all former VHS students and physical education students at Valparaiso University.

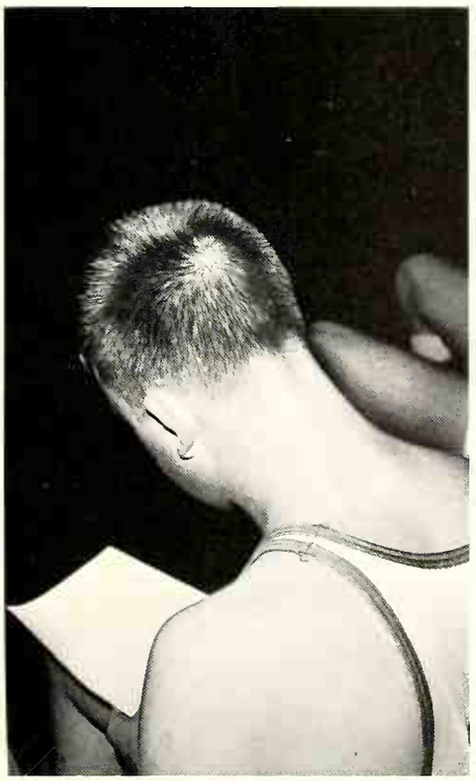
lower center left
Ron Freeman fights for the ball during an especially active game. The climax of the intramural season was a tourney deciding the championship team.

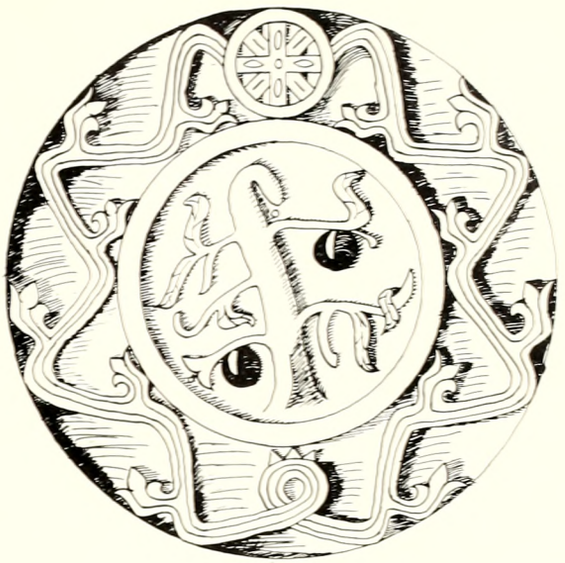
lower center right
Members of a team shoot baskets during a pregame warm-up under the supervision of Mr. Ellis, the primary motivator and head of the intramural system.

lower right
In his official capacity as a scorekeeper for one of the games, Denny Babcock records baskets, free throws, and fouls made by the two contesting teams.









"Friendship is a Sheltering Tree"

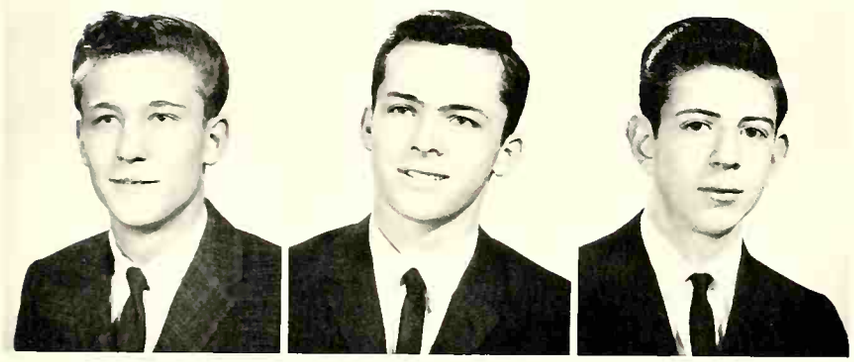
Development of the versatile person is a vital branch of Valparaiso's educational system. The VHS student not only learns mathematical formulas and correct sentence syntax, but also he associates daily with other people. For him this association reveals insights into human nature. He matures as an individual.

Cooperation of friends and acquaintances within the spirit of the school is also a fundamental of education. Varied companionships facilitate relaxed society with others. Casual company promotes ease in groups.

As the past directs him in present stituations, friendships formed in high school will guide the VHS student in coming relationships. The future is promising to the friend who, on common ground, greets and knows the world's inhabitants.

Seniors Today, Leaders Tomorrow

Generating a sense of strength, the class of 1964 made the most of their last high school year. With plans of post-high school education firmly fixed in the minds of most seniors, they put the finishing touches on their basic schooling. Besides making plans for further education, many seniors were thinking about jobs during the summer to add to the family finances and to gain experience in another type of environment. Led by their class officers, Steve Kautz, president; Ed Whitton, vice-president; Doris Toelke, secretary; and Barb Engel, treasurer; the seniors finished what had been an exciting and rewarding high school education and looked forward to an even more rewarding and vastly different future.



RICHARD LEE AFFELD: Pep Club 2,3.

ROBERT JOHN ARMSTRONG: South High School, Torrance, California 1,2,3; Pep Club 4; Football 4.

STEVE MARK ASHBAUGH.

ROBERT JOHN ASHTON: Pep Club 2,3,4; Wrestling 2; Intramurals 3,4.

DENNIS ARTHUR BABCOCK: Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2, 3,4; Basketball 1; Baseball 3,4, Statistician 2; Intramurals 2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4.

RICHARD A. BARBER.

KAREN SUE BARNES: Dramatics 1,2; Attendance Office 4.

RAMSEY KAY BARRETT: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4.

LORRAINE MARGUERITE BARTHOLD: Student Council 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; FTA 2; Student Secretary 4.

JOAN ANN BECK: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 4; GAA 3,4.

RUTH ANN BECK: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4; GAA 3,4; Student Secretary 4.

CAROLYN LOUISE BEIKE.

ELLEN SUE BERNHART: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2, 3,4, Vice-President 4, Board 2;3; Student Nurse 4.

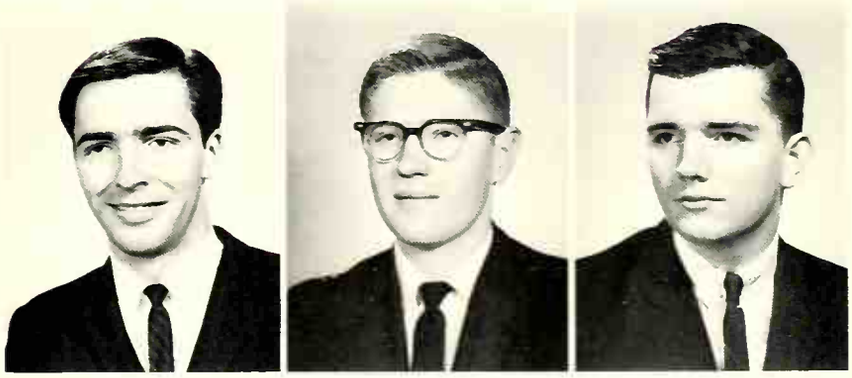
SUSAN RAE BERRIER: Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3.

ELAINE MARIE BIGGS: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2, 3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4, Board 4; FTA 1,2,3,4, Cadet Teaching 4.

KENNETH PAUL BLANEY: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1; Basketball 1; Track 1.

WILLIAN DEE BLOEMEN: Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Projectionist 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Intramurals 3,4.

ROGER EUGENE BOWEN: Band 1,2; Choir 1,2,3,4.



JUDY LYNN BOWMAN: Student Council 2,3; Class Officer, Secretary 2; VALPOST 3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3.

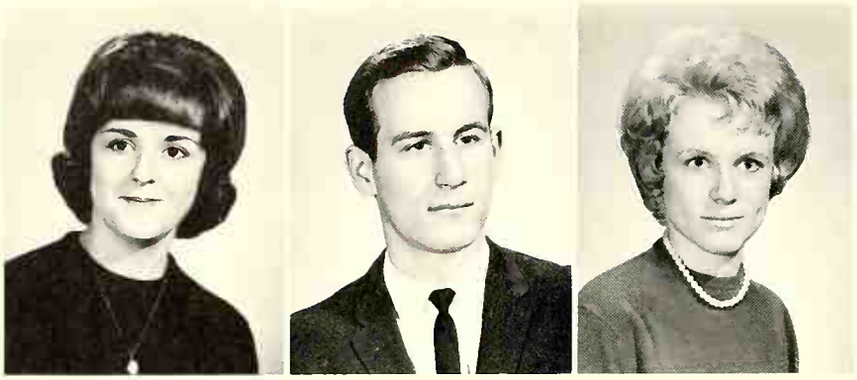
MICHAEL DON BRADNEY: Projectionist 2, President 2; Athletic Photographer 2,3,4.

ELIZABETH ANN BRADY: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2.

PHYLLIS RAE BROCK: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2, 3,4; GAA 2,3,4; FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4.

EARL CHARLES BROOKOVER: Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1, 2,3; Football 2,3; Wrestling 2.

DAVID LESLIE BROWN: Wrestling 2,3,4; Track 3,4; V-Club 2,3,4.



DIANA LEE BROWN: Choir 2; Y-Teens 1,2.

JAMES RAYMOND BURRUS: Student Council 1; Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 1,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 3,4; Intramurals 3,4.

SANDRA LEE CALLAHAN: Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 2, 3,4; Student Secretary 4.

MICHAEL DAVID CARLIN: Student Council 2,3,4, President 4; Class Officer, President 2; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4; King of Hearts.

KATHRYN LOUISE CARLSON: Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Librarian 1,2, 3,4; Guidance Office 4.

CHARLES EDWARD CASE: Band 1; Choir 2; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 3,4; V-Club 4.

ROGER MICHAEL CHAPEL: Pep Club 2,3,4; VAL-POST 2; Hi-Y 2,3,4.

RICHARD L. CHURCH: Intramurals 3,4.

RUTH ANN CLEAVELAND: Choir 1,3,4, Troubadors 4; Pep Club 1,3,4; GAA 1,3,4; FTA 3,4, Cadet Teaching 4.

STEVE CLEMENS: Pep Club 1,2; Cross Country 1; Wrestling 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2.

WAYNE WORCESTER CLENDENIN: Band 1,2,3; Pep Club 4; Swimming 1,2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4.

WILLIAM THOMAS CLIFFORD.

GLENN DAVID COBLE: South Bend Central, South Bend, Indiana 1; John Adams High School, South Bend, Indiana 2; Band 3,4; Choir 3,4, Librarian 3; Pep Club 3,4; Football 3,4; Wrestling 3,4; Track 3,4; V-Club 3,4; Intramurals 3,4; King of Hearts Court.

JERRY LEE COLE: Student Council 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 3,4.

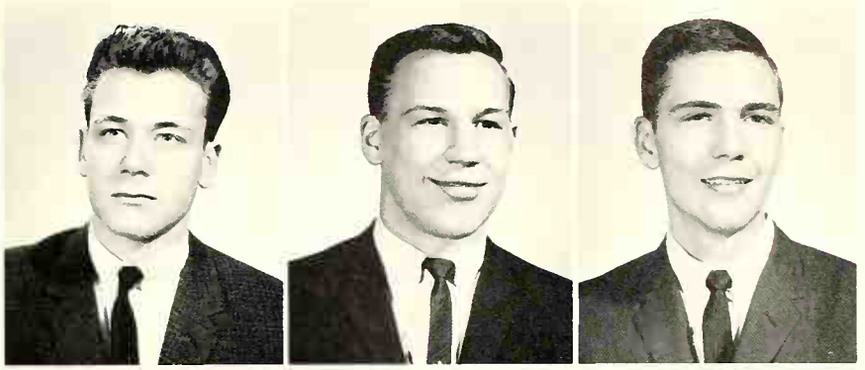
ZANE LYNN COLE: Student Council 1,4; Hi-Y 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Pep Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1; Baseball 2,3,4; Intramurals 3,4.

Seniors Assume Club Officerships and Direction

FRANK EDWARD COLLINS: Monogahela High School, Monogahela, Penn. 1.

ROBERT VanARSDEL COOLMAN: Band 1,2; Choir 4, Troubadours 4; Pep Club 1,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; V-Club 3,4; National Merit; Intramurals 4.

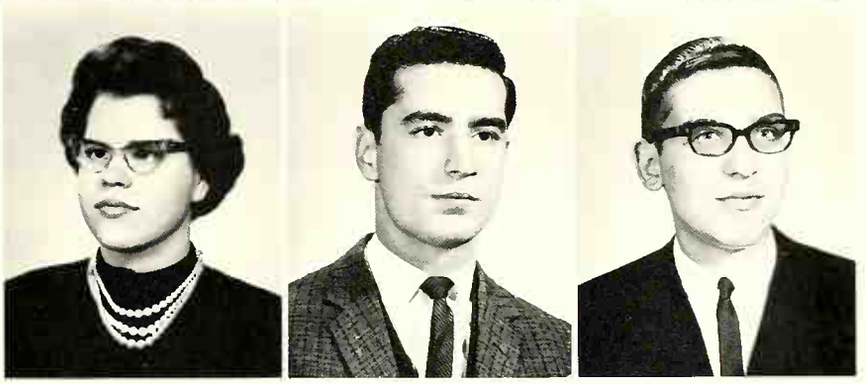
THOMAS WALTER COPPER: Student Council 1; Class Officer, President 1; VALPOST 4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Cross Country 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3; Golf 1,4; V-Club 2,3,4; King of Hearts Court.



JANIS IRENE COULTER: GAA 2.

DOUGLAS LEE CRAIG: VALPOST 3,4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2; Basketball 1; Track 1,2,3; V-Club 3,4; Intramurals 2,3.

CABELL CROPPER: VALENIAN 3,4; VALPOST 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2.



MEREDITH ANN DANIEL: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; Student Secretary 4.

DAVID OLIVER DAVIS: Student Council 1; Choir 1,2; Hi-Y 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2; Football 1,2; Wrestling 1,3; Track 1; V-Club 3,4.

DENNIS CRAIG DAVIS: Monogahela High School, Monongahela, Penn. 1,2.

Nancy Lightcap conducts the proceedings of a Pep Club meeting. Responsibilities of senior club officers include not only leadership, but also supervision of underclass members who may soon assume officership.

Depended upon for Standards and Ideals

EARL E. DEAL: VALPOST 3,4; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1, 2,3,4; Projectionist 3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 3,4.

JANE ELIZABETH DEAN: VALPOST 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Board 1,3; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 1,3; Cheerleader 1,3.

VALERIE JEAN DECKRO: VALPOST 4; Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4, Treasurer 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 3,4; Student Secretary 4.

LINDA KAY DERFLINGER: Pep Club 2.

JANICE KAY DEU: Student Nurse 4.

WANNETTE SUE DIBKEY.

DAVID HAROLD DIERSEN: Student Council 1; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Golf 1,2,3,4; V-Club 1,2,3,4.

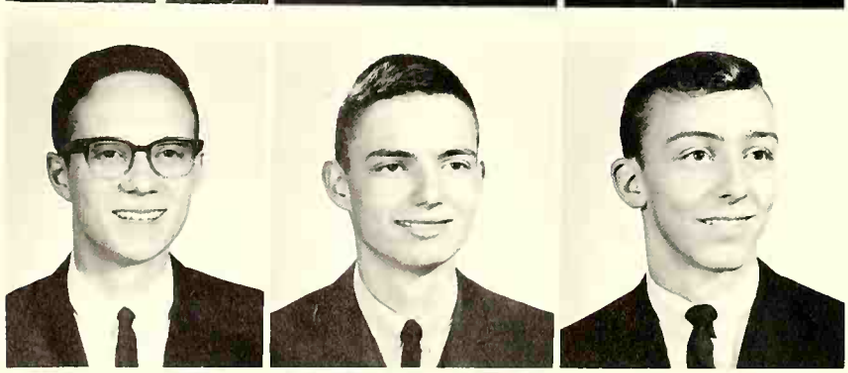
SUSAN EMILY DITTMER: Pep Club 4; National Merit.

THOMAS EDWARD DITTMER: National Merit.

JAMES CHARLES DOOLITTLE: Pep Club 3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3,4.

KAY LYNNE DOWDELL: VALPOST 4; Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 4; Student Nurse 1,2,3; Guidance Office 4.

JAMES PATRICK DOYLE: Class Officer, Vice-President 1; Choir 1,2; Football 2,3,4; Cross Country 1; Basketball 1; Track 1; V-Club 4; Intramurals 4.



RONALD WILLIAM DUNBAR: Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4.

RANDALL CHARLES ECKLEY: VALPOST 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4.

ALAN CHARLES EHNES: Band 1,2,3,4, President 4; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1,2,3,4; V-Club 1,2,3,4.

CAROLYN JOAN EMERSON: Morgan High School 1,2; Choir 4; Pep Club 4; GAA 4.

BARBARA JOYCE ENGEL: Student Council 2; Class Officer, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; VALENIAN 3,4, Photo Editor 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 2; Principal's Office 3.

PHYLLIS JEAN FALLS: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2, 3,4; Student Secretary 4.

RALPH EARL FIFIELD: Pep Club 4; Track 1.

NANCY MARIE FINDLING: VALPOST 2,3,4, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 2.

JOHN F. FISCHER: Pep Club 1,2; Track 2.

ANDREW MICHAEL FITZER, JR.: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Projectionist 1,2; Track 1,2, Manager 3.

PATRICIA LEIGH FITZGERALD: Student Council 1, 2,3; Class Officer, Vice-President 2; VALENIAN 3; VALPOST 2,3; Choir 3, Secretary-Treasurer 3, Carolers 2,3; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2; Dramatics 3,4; Attendance Office 3.

MARY CARLENE FORSZT: Andrean High School, Gary, Indiana 1; VALPOST 2,3,4, Business Manager 4; Choir 3,4, Treasurer 4, Carolers 3,4, Glee Club 2,3,President 2; Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 2,4; Dramatics 3,4; Principal's Office 4; Girl's State Delegate.

ROBERT HOWARD FRITTS: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Swimming 1,2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4.

DALE ALLEN FROBERG.

SHERI LAINE FROBERG: Band 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1; FTA 2,3,4.

PATRICIA ADALE FROGGE.

JULIA ELIZABETH FRYE: Band 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; FTA 2,3; Student Secretary 2; Attendance Office 4; Cheerleader 1,2,4; National Merit.

WILLIAM GOLDNER FULTON: VALPOST 2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Projectionist 2,3,4.

Seniors Tackle Term Papers and "Isms"

JOANNE LOUISE GINGERICH: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4, Board 4; FTA 1,2,4; Student Secretary 4.

SUE GYNETH GRIEGER: Jackson High School 1,2; Choir 4; Pep Club 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; National Merit.

DIETMAR GROSS: Pep Club 4.

SANDRA KAY GRUNDELL: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 4; Student Secretary 4.

HARVEY ERNEST HAHN: Luther High School North, Chicago, Illinois 1; Dramatics 3,4; Mathematics 4; Science Club 3,4; National Merit.

ROSEMARY ANN HAMPSON: Student Council 2; Class Officer, Secretary 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 2,4.

PATRICIA ANN HANNER: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2, 3,4.

VICKI JO HARRISON: Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,3,4; Student Nurse 3; Student Secretary 3.

LARRY E. HAZELTON: Pep Club 3.

Mr. Brown's senior literature class listens to a lecture on Seventeenth Century England. English literature, basically a lecture course, prepares seniors for college level work.

DELORES JEAN HEFFERNAN: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 4.

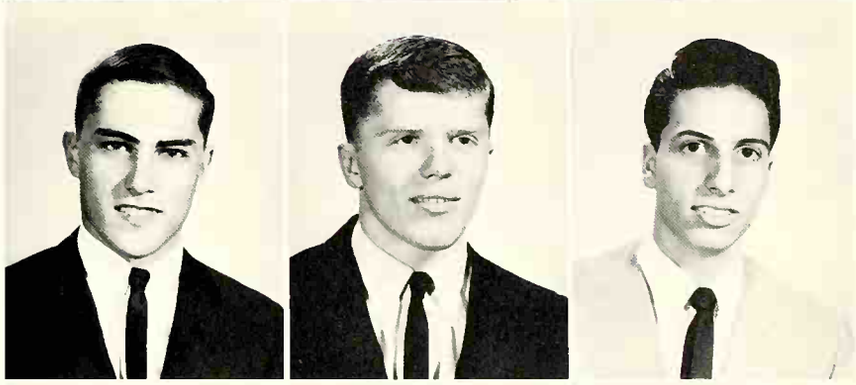
LINDA GAYLE HERMAN: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4, President 4, Board 2,3; FTA 4.

RAYMOND EUGENE HEWLETT: Football 1,2,3; Wrestling Manager 1; King of Hearts Court.

ROBERT GENE HILDRETH: Student Council 1,3,4; Band 3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4, President 4, Librarian 3, Carolers 3,4; Hi-Y 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatics 4; Wrestling 1, 2,3; Boys' State Alternate.

DAVID MARTIN HILL: Pep Club 4; Football 2,4; Wrestling 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4.

JAMES J. HILL: Pep Club 1,2; Dramtics 1.



JACK EDWARD HINES: VALPOST 2,3.

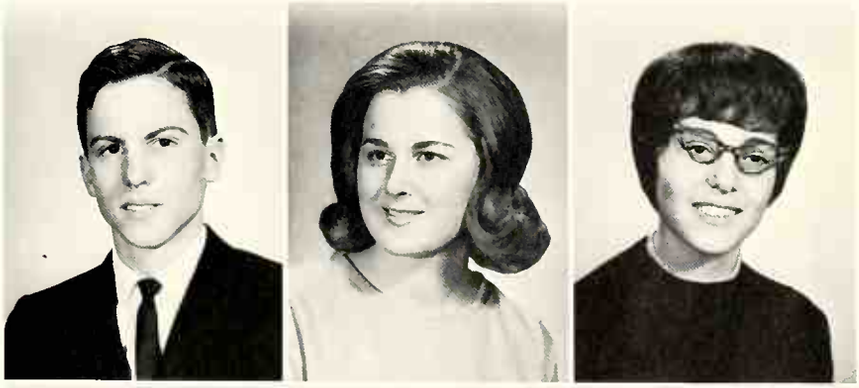
SHARON RAYE HOBACK: Choir 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3, 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

VAYLE JOEEN HOEG: Pep Club 1,2,3,4.

ROBERT PRICE HOSFORD.

JANET LEE HOSPERS: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4, Board 2,3,4; FTA 4.

MARY JO HOWSER: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Board 4; GAA 3,4; Student Nurse 4; Student Secretary 4.



ROBERT EDWARD HUBALL: Football 2; Track Manager 1,2.

JUDITH LYNN HUDGINS: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

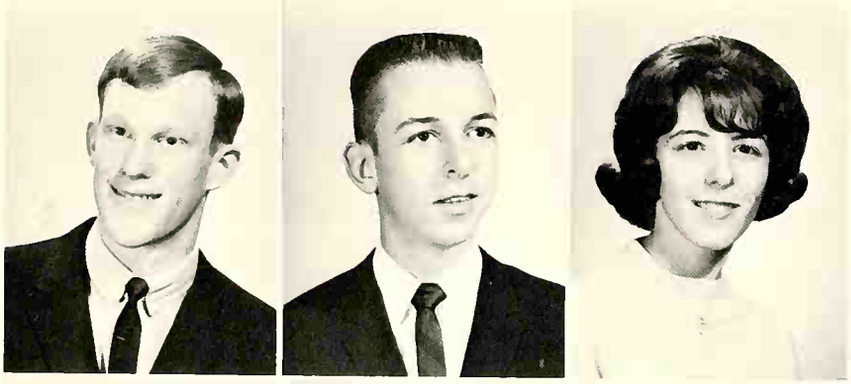
DONNA LEE HUSBAND: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1, 2,3,4; Student Secretary 4; Guidance Office 4.

Selecting Cards and Ordering Pictures

CHARLENE RAE IRVIN: Choir 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 4; GAA 4; FTA 2,3,4, Secretary 3,4; Guidance Office 3,4.

BRIAN IRVINE: Pep Club 1,2,3,4.

ARTHUR KENT JOHNSON: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1; Intramurals 2,4.



JAY CARL JOHNSON: Student Council 1,2,3; Band 1, 2,3,4; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 3; Swimming 1,2,3,4; V-Club 3,4; National Merit.

WALTER EUGENE JONES: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

MARY JEANNE JOPES: VALENIAN 4; VALPOST 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 3,4; Student Secretary 4; Attendance Office 3; Homecoming Court.

JAMES MICHAEL JUNGJOHAN.

BONITA LOUISE JUST: Moorestown Friends School, Moorestown, New Jersey 1; VALENIAN 3,4, Layout Editor 4; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 3; Attendance Office 3.

PATRICIA ANN KANE: VALENIAN 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3 4, President 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,4; FTA 1; Girls' State Alternate; Homecoming Court.

MARTIN STEPHEN KAUTZ: Student Council 4; Class Officer, President 4; Pep Club 2,3,4, Treasurer 4; Football 2; Cross Country 1; Swimming 1,2,3; Track 1,2; King of Hearts Court.

VERNON F. KEELEY: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2.

SALLYANN KENNEDY: Union Twp High School, Hamlet, Indiana 1,2; Pep Club 4; FTA 3,4, Cadet Teaching 4; Principal's Office 4.

BARBARA ZANDRA KNOTT: Class Officer, Treasurer 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Board 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; Guidance Office 4.

KENNETH W. KNOWLTON: Calumet High School Gary, Indiana 1.

CHARLES EARL KOEPPEN: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 3; Basketball 1; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4.

As Final Year Leaves Memories

EDWARD LEE KOMYANEK: Medil Bair High School, Fairless Hills, Penn. 1,2.

HOWARD RALPH KRIEGER: Student Council 3, 4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3, 4; Track 1; Baseball 2,3,4; V-Club 2,3,4.

DARRELL TIMOTHY KRISTO: Queen Elizabeth Junior High School, Port Credit, Ontario 1; Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; Track 2.

MARY JANE KRISTON: Choir 1,2,3; Y-Teens 2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4.

VICKI LYNN KRISTON: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1, 2,3,4; GAA 4; Student Secretary 3,4.

ROBERT CHARLES KRUSE: Concordia College, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 1.

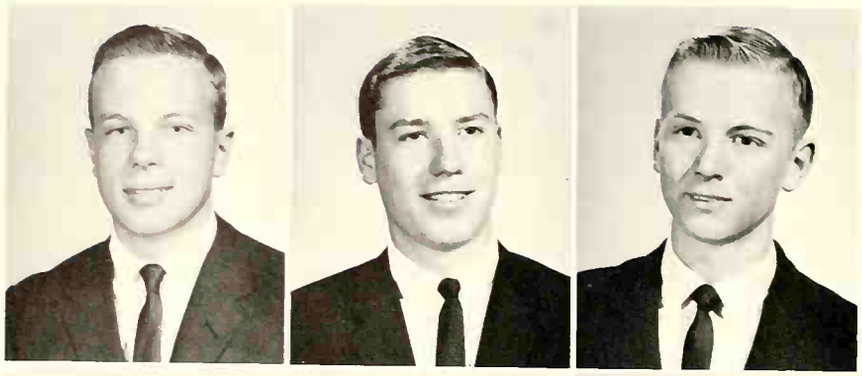
DENNIS EDWARD KUCINSKI.

WILLIAM ATON KUEHL: Band 1,2; Pep Club 2.

CAROL ANN LAMMERS: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1, 2,3,4; Guidance Office 4.

With the aid of Carolyn White, Mr. Kingsley, representative of Herff-Jones Company, takes orders for senior commencement announcements. Also at this time Mr. Kirwan took measurements for senior caps and gowns.

Taking Time To Fill Out College Applications



CARL LESLIE LANDGREBE: Intramurals 3,4.

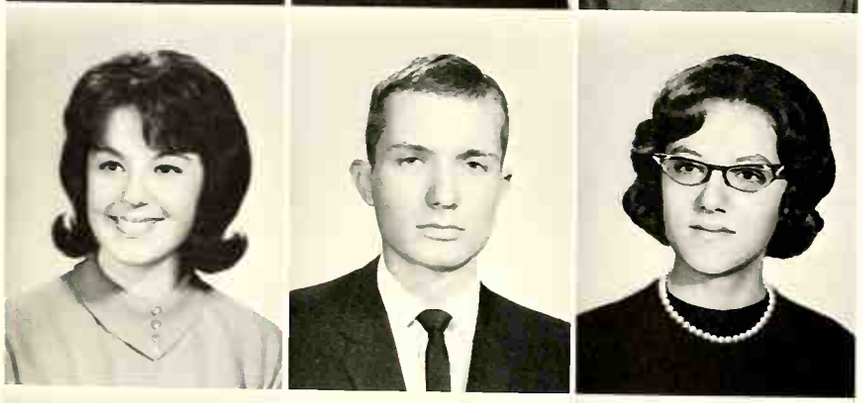
PAUL J. LANDGREBE: Intramurals 3,4.

JOHN DAVID LANGE: Lutheran High School South, St. Louis, Missouri 1,2,3; Choir 3, Carolers 3; Track 3; Intramurals 4.

LOIS RUTH LAUBE: Lincoln High School, Lincoln, Nebraska 3; Band 1,2,4; Y-Teens 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,4; GAA 1,2; FTA 4; Librarian 1,2,4.

SHIRLEY DIANNE LAWRENCE: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

CYNTHIA ANN LEETZ: VALPOST 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 1.



NANCY JOAN LIGHTCAP: Student Council 1,2,3, Treasurer 3; Y-Teens 1,2,34; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, President 4; GAA 1,2,4; FTA 1,4; Attendance Office 3; Homecoming Court.

LARRY HOWARD LINDBERG: Cross Country 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4.

LYNN JUDITH LINKIMER: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FTA 3, 4; Dramatics 4; Librarian 1; Attendance Office 4.

PATRICIA ANN LINTON: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2, 3,4.

MARILOU LOAYZA: VALPOST 1,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; Attendance Office 4.

JO ANNE LORING: Band 1,2,3,4, Secretary-Treasurer 4, Publicity 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Guidance Office 4.

DARLENE KAY LUDINGTON: Librarian 4.

PETER CHARLES LUTZE: Pep Club 3,4; Intramurals 2, 3, 4.

KAREN ANN MAHON: Band 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4; Majorette 2,3,4.

and Tour Campuses

JUDY ANN MANN: Band 1,2; Pep Club 2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

LYNN FRANCES MAPLE.

JOYCE MARIE MARTINAL: Andrean High School, Gary, Indiana 1,2; Y-Teens 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; GAA 3.

BEVERLY JO MAUDLIN: Band 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4, Board 4; Student Nurse 4.

CHRISTINE ANNE McAFEE: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; Student Nurse 2,3; Student Secretary 3; Attendance Office 2.

DONALD RAYMOND McCASLAND.

DELORES SUE McDONALD: Choir 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1, 2; Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 2,3,4.

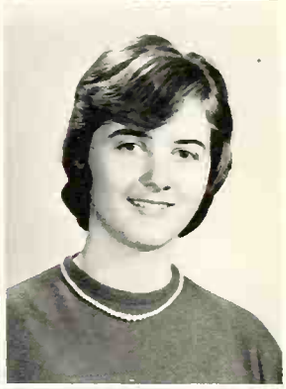
DuWAYNE MARVIN MICHAELS: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Projectionist 3; Basketball 1.

ROBERT MILIANTA

GENE ALLEN MILLER: Pep Club 2,3,4; Science Club 2,4; Cross Country 1,2; Intramurals 2,4.

JAMES WILSON MILLER: Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Projectionist 2,3,4.

MARY ANN MILLER: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3, 4; GAA 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4, Board 3; Student Nurse 3,4.



PATRICIA SUSAN MILLER: Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

SHARON JOYCE MILLSPAUGH: Choir 1,2; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4.

SARAN SUE MISKIMINS: FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4; Librarian 1,2.

Four Years of Impressions Made on Others

ELEANOR LOUISE MOLENGRAFT: Andrean High School, Gary, Indiana 1; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Student Nurse 4; Attendance Office 4; Homecoming Court.

CHARLES WAYNE MORRIS: Pep Club 1,2,3,4.

PATRICIA ANN MORRIS: FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4.

APRIL DAWN MYERS: Pep Club 2,3,4.

SANDRA CHERYL NEWCOMB: Andrean High School, Gary, Indiana 1,2; Choir 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; President 4.

JOHN MELVIN NICKLAS: Franklin D. Roosevelt High School, Bristol, Penn. 1; Student Council 4; Hi-Y 3,4, Secretary-Treasurer 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4, President 4; Football 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; V-Club 3,4; Boys' State Delegate; Intramurals 3,4.

KATHRYN JEAN NIELSEN: Student Council 3,4, Secretary 4; VALENIAN 3,4, Editor-in-Chief 4; Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4, Board 3; Librarian 1; Girls' State Alternate.

RONALD ANTHONY OELLING: Football 1,2.

JONATHAN KELSAY OESTING: Band 1,2,3,4, Property Manager 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Dramatics 3,4, Vice-President 3; Projectionist 3,4.

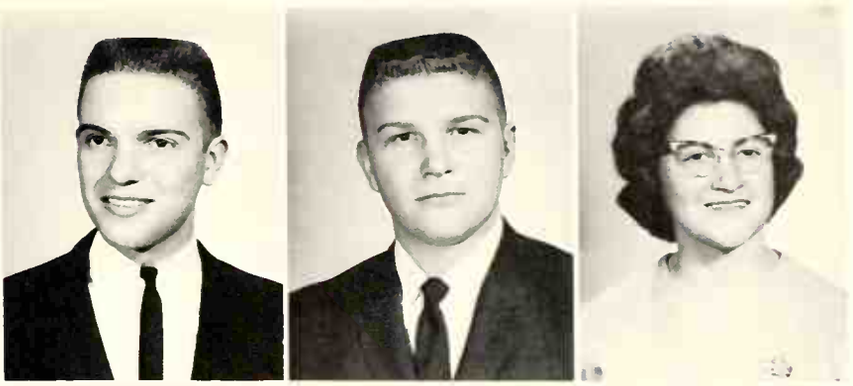
Vicki Saunders adds her opinion to a discussion on government aid to schools while Bob Ashton, Dave Davis, Roger Sievers, and Reita Witters listen. Civics is a required study of our government's history and structure.

Culminate into Recommendations

OTIS TALMADGE OGG: Hi-Y 3,4; Football 3; Cross Country 1.

PAUL WILLIAM OLSZEWSKI.

VELMA LOUIS O'NEIL: Boone Grove High School 1,2.



THOMAS ADAMS PARKER: Horace Mann High School, Gary, Indiana 1,2; Football 3.

PAULA HELEN PARR: Haverford High School, Havertown, Penn. 1; West Seneca High School, West Seneca, New York 2,3; VALENIAN 4; Y-Teens 4; Pep Club 4.

ROWLAND LAWRENCE PARSONS: Student Council 1,2,4, Treasurer 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,4; Football 1,2,3; Golf 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 3,4.

SANDRA SUE PARTLOW: Y-Teens 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; Student Secretary 4.

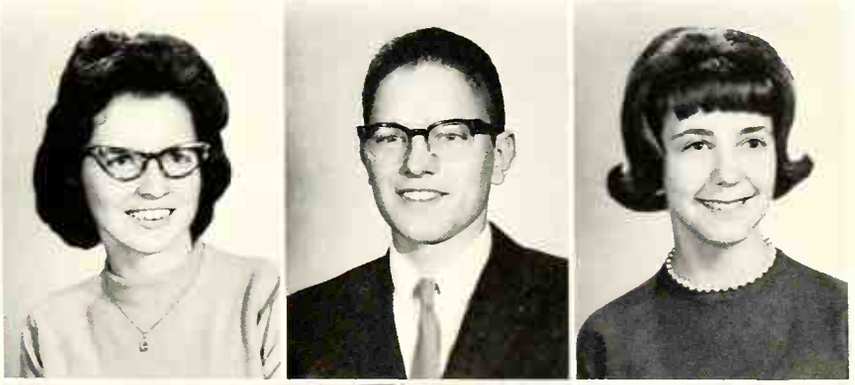
JOLENE PFLEDDERER: Y-Teens 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2.

MARGARET RUTH PHILLIPS: VALENIAN 3,4, Art Editor 4; Band 1,2,3,4, Recording Secretary 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4.

PEGGY ANN PIERCE: Y-Teens 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; GAA 1,2.

EVERETTE ANDREW PIERSON.

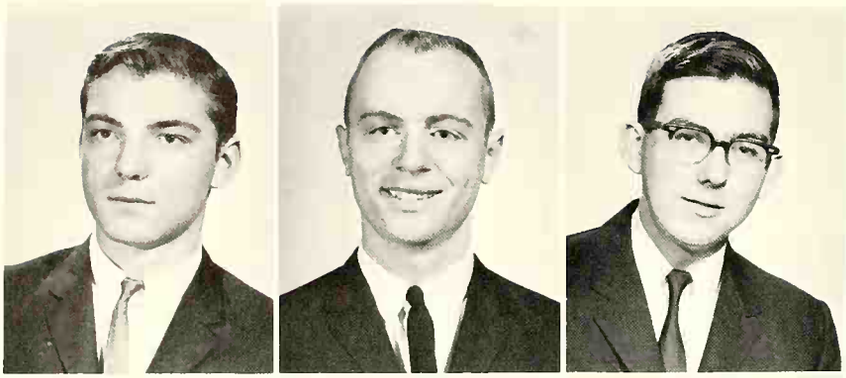
CAROL JANE PRAHL: Student Council 2; VALPOST 4; Choir 2,3,4, Secretary 4, Carolers 3,4; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; FTA, Cadet Teaching 4; Dramatics 1, Attendance Office 4; Cheerleader 2,3,4.



JAMES MICHAEL RABER: Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 3,4; Cross Country 1; Golf 1,2,3.

JOHN CHARLES RAYDER: Choir 2,4; Cross Country 1; Baseball 2,3.

PRISCILLA JANE READING: Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4.



RODERICK BARRY REIMER: Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3; FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4; Golf 1,2.

THOMAS EDWARD RHODES: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Basketball 1.

JOHN WILLIAM RIGG: Science Club 3.

THOMAS WILLIAM ROBERTS: Choir 1,2,3,4, Carolers 4; Pep Club 4; Projectionist 1,2,3,4.

SHARON KAY ROBINSON: Pep Club 2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

ELIZABETH ANN ROBY: Portage High School, Portage, Indiana 1,2; VALENIAN 3,4, Copy Editor 4; VALPOST 3; Band 3; Y-Teens 3,4; Pep Club 3,4; GAA 3,4; FTA 3; Homecoming Queen.

LAWRENCE MARLAN ROSENBAUM: VALENIAN 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4, Property Manager 3,4; Hi-Y 3,4, Chaplain 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Projectionist 2, Vice-President 2; Basketball Manager 3,4; Boys' State Alternate.

STEVEN ALFRED SAEZ: Football 1; Track 1; Intramurals 4.

RITA ANN SARTORI: Andrean High School, Gary, Indiana 1; Y-Teens 4; Pep Club 3,4; GAA 2,3,4; FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4.

VICTORIA SUE SAUNDERS: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Board 4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 2.

ROBERT JOHN SCHUESSLER: Pep Club 1,2,3; Swimming 1,2; Track 1,2.

MARTHA LOUISE SCHUMACHER: Choir 2,3,4, Carolers 4; Y-Teens 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

DENISA MARIE SCOTT.

JAMES PHILIP SHAPARD: Cross Country 2; Track 1,2.

BARBARA ANN SHEARHOD: Choir 2.

Proud of Their School, Prouder of Their Future

SHERRY LEA SHEETZ: Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 1,2; Librarian 1,2,3; Student Secretary 4.

KATHLEEN ANN SHEFFIELD: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Program Chairman 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; FTA 1,2,4, Cadet Teaching 4; Student Nurse 3; Student Secretary 4; Attendance Office 3.

JAMES DANIEL SHINABARGER: Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Projectionist 2,4; Intramurals 2,3,4.

SUSAN KAY SHOOK: Student Council 3; Class Officer, Secretary 3; VALENIAN 4; Choir 1,2,4, Carolers 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Board 2,4; GAA 1,2; Principal's Office 3,4; Cheerleader 2; Girls' State Delegate; Homecoming Court.

ROGER GERALD SIEVERS: VALPOST 4; Hi-Y 3,4, President 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1, 2; Intramurals 3,4; Toastmaster; National Merit.

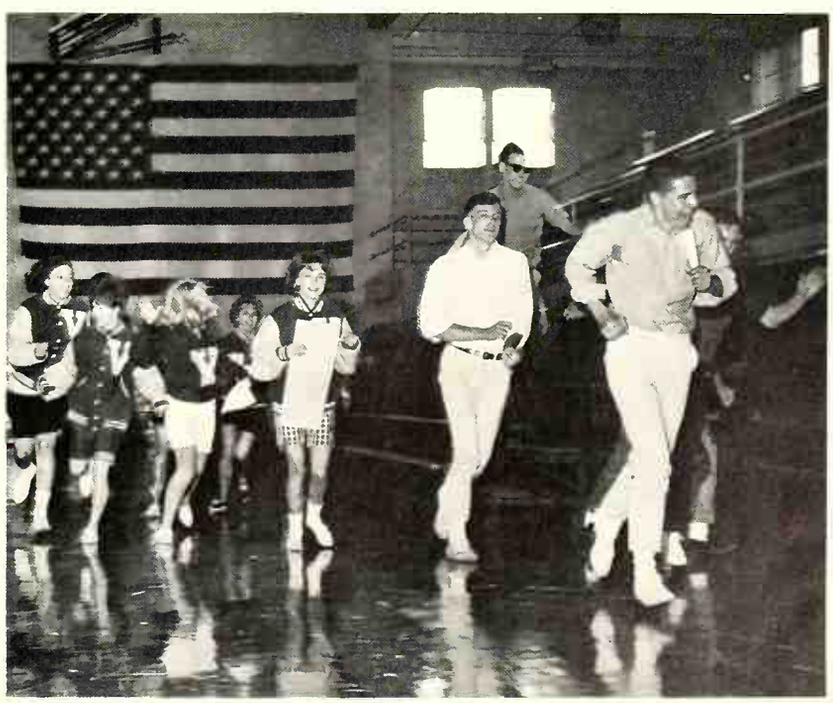
SUZANNE MILLICENT SIMMONS.

JUDITH LEE SKINNER: Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3, 4; GAA 1,2,4; FTA 3,4, Cadet Teaching 3,4, Treasurer 3, 4; Student Nurse 4.

JOHN BRUCE SLINGERLAND: Cross Country 2; Intramurals 4.

CHERYL ANNE SMITH: Andrean High School, Gary, Indiana 1; Choir 4; Y-Teens 2,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 2,4.

The senior class in cooperation with the Pep Club puts on a skit for the Horace Mann football game pep session.



Beginning Individual Lives after

GEORGE VICTOR SMITH: Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Basketball 1; Intramurals 2,3,4.

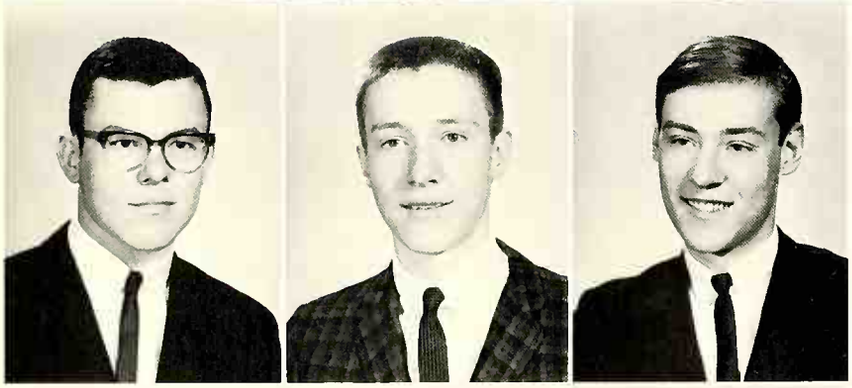
SHIRLEY ANN SMITH: Choir 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

SUSAN ELIZABETH SMITH: Elly Heuss Schule, Wiesbaden, Germany 1; Liberty High School 2; VALPOST 4; Choir 3,4, Vice-President 4; Carolers 3,4; FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4; Dramatics 3,4.

JERRY LEE SOLIDAY.

RANDALL EUGENE STEELE: Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Football 1; Cross Country 2.

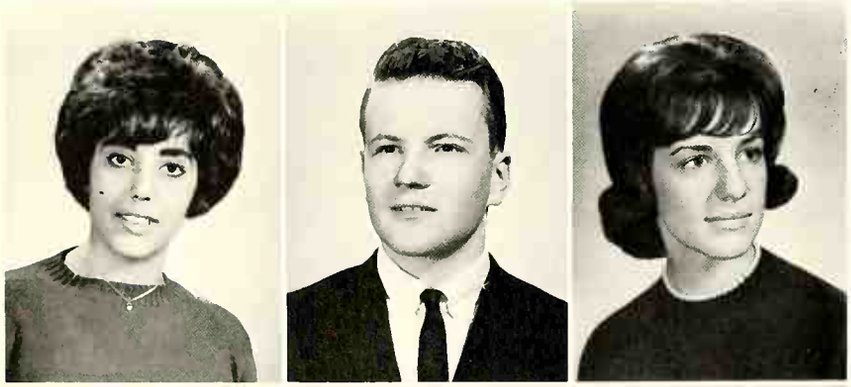
MARTIN HERBERT STEINBACH: Choir 2,3,4, Troubadours 4.



EDDIE ROY STIPP: Student Council 1,2,3; Class Officer, Vice-President 3; Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 1,4; Football 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 2,3,4.

NICHOLAS RAYMOND STOESSEL: Round Lake High School, Round Lake, Illinois 1; Dramatics 2,3,4.

LAWRENCE JOHN STORY.



MAVIS RENEE STRATTON: Y-Teens 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2; Student Secretary 4.

KENNETH WAYNE STUMP.

JACQUELINE SUE SWISHER: VALENIAN 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Board 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 4; Student Nurse 3,4.

EDWARD JOSEPH THOMAS: Choir 1,2,3,4, Carolers 2,3,4; Swimming 2; Track 1,2; Baseball 3.

KATHERINE ANN TODD: VALPOST 4; Band 1,2; Pep Club 3,4; Student Secretary 4.

DORIS RUTH TOELKE: Class Officer, Treasurer 4; Choir 1,2; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4.

Four Years Together

LAWRENCE DAVID TOMECKO: Track 2.

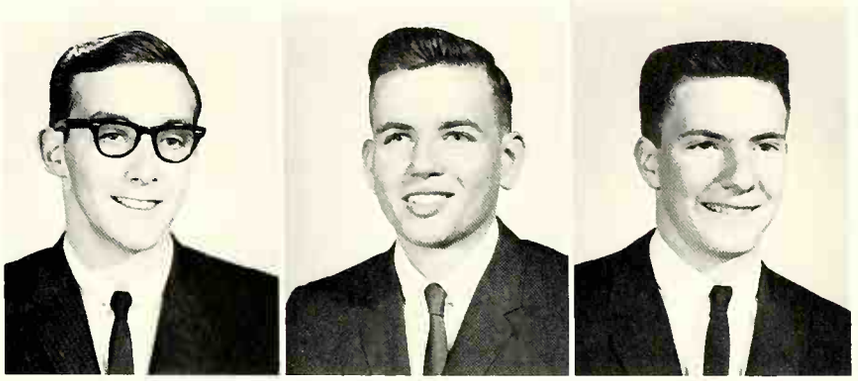
JOY DARLYNNE TOTH: Pep Club 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; Student Secretary 4.

LEE ELLEN TRULOCK: Student Council 1; VALPOST 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4, Board 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Student Nurse 1,2; Librarian 1,2.

JOHN WILLIAM TUDOR: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Intramurals 2,3,4.

ARTHUR BRUCE TUESBURG: Band 1,2; Choir 3,4, Troubadours 4; Football 3,4.

GORDON ALAN ULSH: Band 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Hi-Y 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2; Track 1,2; King of Hearts Court.



BONNIE MAE UNDERWOOD: Band 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1; Student Secretary 4; Attendance Office 3; Guidance Office 3; Cheerleader 2; Homecoming Court.

JANET RUTH URSCHEL: Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3; FTA 4, Cadet Teaching 4; Librarian 1; Student Secretary 2,3.

VICTOR JEROME VAUGHN: Rufus King High School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 1,2; Student Council 4; Pep Club 3,4; Swimming 3,4; Track 3; V-Club 3,4.

WILFORD SCOTT VICKERS: Student Council 2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Class Officer, President 3; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3, Statistician 4; Track 1,2,4; Baseball 3; Intramurals 4; V-Club 2,3,4.

NANCY CAROL WACHHOLZ: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3; Principal's Office 4.

KAREN FRANCIS WASHBURN: Y-Teens 3; Pep Club 1,2,3.

PAUL NORMAN WEISSERT: Mars Area Joint Schools, Mars, Penn. 1; Band 2,3,4; Choir 4; Pep Club 3,4; Football 2; Intramurals 2,3,4.

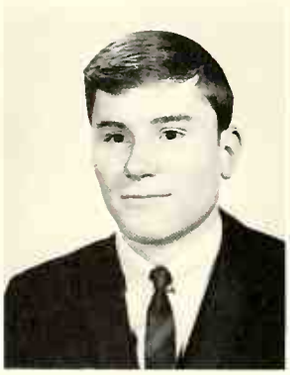
JOHN DENNIS WERMCRANTZ: Hi-Y 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Golf 2,3,4; Intramurals 3,4; V-Club 3,4; Boys' State Delegate.

ROBERTA MILLICENT WEST: VALENIAN 4; Choir 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4.

ROGER THOMAS WHEELE: Football 1,2.

CAROLYN ANN WHITE: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Student Secretary 4.

DONNIE GENE WHITMAN: Choir 2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 1,2,3,4; V-Club 3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4.



ALLEN ANTHONY WHITTON: Football 1,2; Track 2.

EDWARD JOSEPH WHITTON: Student Council 3,4; Class Officer, Vice-President 4, Treasurer 2; Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3; Basketball 1; Track 1,2,3; V-Club 4; King of Hearts Court.

REITA ALICE WITTERS: Band 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 1,2,3,4.

ANN BROOKE WILLIAMSON: Y-Teens 4; Pep Club 1, 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; National Merit.

WILLIAM C. WOMACKS: Swimming 1; Track 1.

VIRGINIA ELAINE WOODS.

THOMAS WILLIAM WORDEN: VALENIAN 2,3,4, Managing Editor 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 4, Carolers 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2.

KENNETH PAUL YOUNG: Football 1,2,3; Wrestling 1, 2,3; Track 1.

WILLIAM CASWELL YOUNGBLOOD: Chesterton High School, Chesterton, Indiana 1; Valpost 2,4; Band 2, 3,4; Choir 4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Dramatics 3; Wrestling 3; National Merit.

RANDALL CHAD ZULICH: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2, Manager 3,4; Basketball 1, Manager 3, Statistician 4; Track, Manager 3,4; V-Club 3,4.

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ROBERT WALTER SCHOENBECK: Hi-Y 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Football, Manager 2; Swimming 1,2,3, Manager 2; V-Club 2,3,4; National Merit.

WILBERTA J. SPENCER.

1963-64 Year Sees Composition of VHS Seal

This year, through the profits of the 1961, 1962, and 1963 VALENIAN staffs, the 1964 staff had an official school seal of Valparaiso High School designed by an artist of Herff-Jones Company of Indianapolis and made into embossing dies by the Durand Manufacturing Company.

The Viking head on the shield was originally used on the school flag and was designed for use on class rings and stationary by Mitch Vogel of the Herff-Jones Company in 1955. The torch is symbolic of citizenship; the open book, of learning. The laurel leaves depict achievement; the oak leaves, strength. The first official class was graduated from Valparaiso in 1874.

Juniors Gain Prestige through Prom

Starting their third year at VHS, the juniors began to think about the future after graduation. Accordingly, college-bound students enrolled in United States history, speech, American literature, algebra 3 and 4, chemistry, and a foreign language. Those planning a business or domestic career enrolled in advanced business, home economics, and industrial arts courses.

The main topic of conversation among the junior class officers, Janet Brown, president; Bob Johnson, vice-president; Don Horan, treasurer; and Lynn Anderson, secretary; was the appointment of committees for the prom.

Cheryl Anderson
Lynn Anderson
Roxanne Angel
Lois Annen
Sheena Arndt
Donna Babcock
Judith Babcock

David Backus
Charles Banks
Paul Barker
Constance Barnes
Mark Bartelt
Jane Bauer
Donald Beach

Ronald Beach
Susan Belaschky
Larry Bell
Craig Berg
James Berrier
John Berry
Philip Bickel

Marilyn Billings
Larry Blanton
Mary Bogan
Robert Book
Richard Boron
Linda Bostic
Sandra Boule

Beverly Boyd
Celia Boyd
Linda Bright
Gregory Brown
Janet Brown
Linda Brown
Thomas Brown

James Buchanan
Pamela Bucher
Rosanne Buelow
Vicki Bundy
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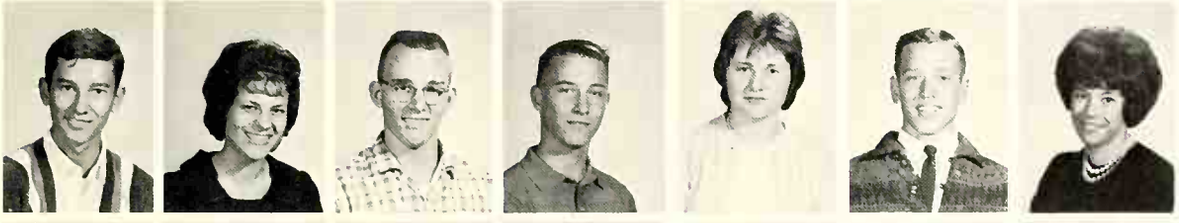

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Thomas Collins
Nila Cooper
Michael Copper
Diane Corsbie

Dixie Craig
Particia Craig
Sue Csaba
Nancy Cunningham
Judith Czamanske
Steve Dahl
Donald Daniel

Sue Dauberman
Dianne Davis
Janice Davis
Judith Davis
Susann Dayton
Jeffrey Deal
Timothy DeFries

Paul DeHaven
Jeanne Denison
Marianne Deters
Sharon Dewey
Paul Dickson
Michael Dodd
Don Dodds

Wayne Dolbeare
John Dolembo
Michael Doran
William Doshan
Thomas Douglas
Margaret Dowdell
Faith Duncan

Richard Dunkelbarger
Clark Eaton
Martha Edgecomb
Penny Ehrsam
Tamara Erea
Clifford Evans
Carol Excell

Charyl Excell
Gwenlyn Farnum
Wally Fetla
Sue Field
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Ronald Freeman

Francis Frey
Merilee Fritz
Roger Fry
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Dick Gott
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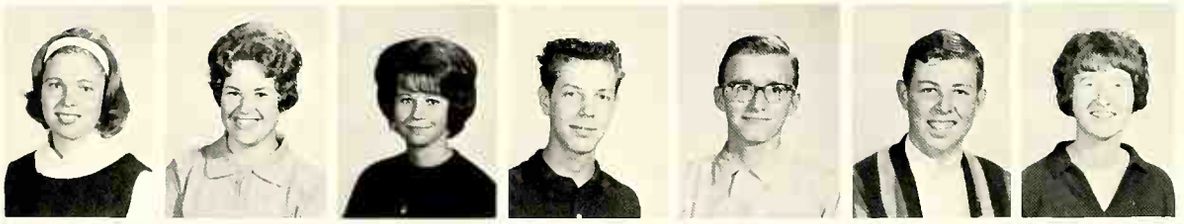

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Penny Jankowski
Patricia Jensen
James Johnson
Katherine Johnson
Lois Johnson

Richard Johnson
Robert Johnson
Stephen Johnson
Connie Jones
Len Jones
Thomas Jones
Steve Kaiser

Anxious to Assume Senior Responsibilities

Alex Kazlauski
Herbert Kilmer
Daniel Klahn
Richard Knight
David Knott
Mark Koenker
Eileen Koepke

Donna Koeppen
Virginia Komyanek
Nancy Krekeler
Larry Kueck
Cheri LaHayne
Linda Lamberson
James Lampl

Kathleen Lange
Janet Laughlin
David Liggett
Douglas Liggett
Laurie Lindberg
Sharon Long
Cheryl Ludington

Donald Ludington
Linda Ludington
Sue Lundberg
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William Meitzler

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Thomas Miller
Linda Mitchell
Ronald Moser
Michael Mounce
Christine Neander

Nancy Newsom
Sharon Newsom
Georgene Nightingale
Kathy Niksch
Joanne Noll
Marcy Nordlund
Larry Norwood

Peter Nuland
Nancy Oelling
Susan Offord
Fontanna O'Keefe
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James Rainwaters

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Barbara Rappleyea
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Rand Rueter
Richard Sacks
Janet Sawtell
George Schane
Bruce Schenker
Carla Schramm

Judith Schwan
Mary Schwanholt
Wayne Sears
Kathleen Shewan
Bruce Shinabarger
Linda Sick
Linda Silhavy

Cheryl Sipich
David Skinner
James Smith
Penny Smurdon
Cheryl Souza
William Spears
Charlotte Spencer

Jerome Spencer
David Steel
William Steel
Lawrence Steele
Elizabeth Stinchfield
Daniel Stolpe
Phillip Stratton

Frederick Strietelmeier
Candace Stuart
Mary Jo Stultz
Irma Taiclet
Richard Tarner
Cynthia Thompson
Douglas Thompson

Juniors Encounter PSAT and National Merit

Larrin Thompson
Candace Thorgren
Carla Thorgren
Bonnie Todd
Robert Tofte
Ian Townsend
Peggy Tracy

Linda Trapp
Judith Treble
Faye Trinosky
Patricia Tucker
Dale Turpin
June Underwood
Stanley Vandrey

Barbara Vanover
Richard Wall
Mary Warner
Wendy Warner
Gary Wasemann
Lilajean Watt
Lewis Watts

Verlaine Watts
Liane Weddle
Virginia Weisberg
Jane Weissert
Richard Wheeler
Susan White
William Whiting

Pamela Whitler
Ronald Whitman
Donna Whitmer
Sandra Williamson
Kenneth Wilson
Bruce Wojahn
Rodney Wood

Paula Younce
Janet Young
Nancy Young
Anne Zeman
Glenn Zoller

NOT PICTURED
Kathleen Dye
Ronald Podell
Michael Stephens
Raymond Wiggs
Clifton Wilson

Sophomores Become Accustomed to Environment

During the first year of high school life, the typical sophomore schedule included world history, geometry, English, a foreign language, and physical education. The other courses offered to sophomores were industrial arts, mechanical drawing, home economics, and health and safety.

After being separated into different junior high schools for one year due to the introduction of the 6-3-3 system in 1962, the sophomores reunited under the leadership of their officers, Tom Eiler, president; Jim Siewin, vice-president; Mary Heinold, secretary; and Linda Arnold, treasurer. As a class they chose their class rings, decorated the gym for commencement, and supported the school's clubs and teams.

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Th as Anderson
Rh nold Armstrong
Ro bert Arndt
Linda Arnold
Judith Ashton
Chris Babcock
Jeri Bainer

Michael Baird
Kenneth Barber
Robert Barber
Mary Barnes
Randall Barnes
Marian Barnett
Sharon Barthold

Tasha Beach
Susan Benham
Sara Bennett
Robert Bergstrom
Francene Berrier
Raymond Berrier
Brian Biggs

Mary Blaney
Steven Bloom
David Bochnicka
Thomas Bond
William Bond
Lowene Bostic
Jacqueline Brady

Mary Brady
Herbert Brandenburg
Richard Brindle
David Brittingham
Linda Broton
Bonnie Brown
Mike Brown

Dolly Brumbaugh
Barry Bucher
Jean Buehrle
Richard Buehrle
Donald Burch
Marjorie Burrus
Sandra Butterfield

Roger Butterfield
Edna Butz
Janet Campbell
Thomas Campbell
Lorena Carr
Gene Caryer
Jerry Chael

Gerard Charpentier
James Chester
Nora Christy
Carolyn Church
Mary Cleaveland
Donna Clendenin
Charles Comeford

Charles Conover
Pamela Cowan
Richard Crockett
Charles Cropper
Susan Daniels
Jerry Davis
Candace Decker

Lee Dempsey
Vernon Detlef
David Dogan
Paula Domke
Jean Doolittle
Joan Doolittle
Michael Dougherty

Linda Duke
Donald Dye
Jon Ebersold
Ronald Eckert
Nita Edington
Richard Edwards
Thomas Eiler

Joyce Ellis
Bruce Evans
Mary Ellen Fairfield
James Farney
Steven Ferguson
Karen Fetla
Gail Field

Phillip Findling
James Follin
David Follis
Loman Fox
Janet Frailey
Oleta Fritts
Dean Froberg

Joyce Fry
Paul Frye
Donald Garbison
Helen Gardner
Carolyn Gast
Vernon Gast
Diane Gathmann

Robert Geyer
Terry Giesler
John Gingerich
Joe Gonzales
Kathleen Goodrich
Jean Graham
Michael Green

Donna Gunsaulus
Randall Hahn
Gary Hall
Constance Hamilton
Thomas Hampson
Gregory Hanchar
Marie Hannon

Gerry Harden
Craig Harmon
Jeri Harris
Barbara Havling
Laura Heimberg
Mary Heinold
Dean Hemmersbach

Alfred Henkel
Diana Henning
Terry Herman
Michael Hershman
Daniel Higgins
Cynthia Hill
Sandra Hill

Linda Hiscox
Charles Hough
Edward Howard
Ronald Howard
Lawrence Howe
Susan Howe
Martin Howell

Jacqueline Hoyt
James Hundt
Peggy Hutton
Anna Ihnat
Thomas Inman
Susanne Ireland
Norma Jain

James Jensen
Betty Johnson
Noel Johnson
Geoffrey Jones
Judith Jones
Robert Jones
Christina Karamesines

John Keller
Jorja Kent
James Kilmer
Becky Kemz
Sheryl Koester
Robert Kuehl
Toy Ann Lamb

Laurel Lange
Steve Larson
Delmar Lawrence
Robert LeBlanc
Bradley Leibold
Pamela Lindahl
Marie Ludington

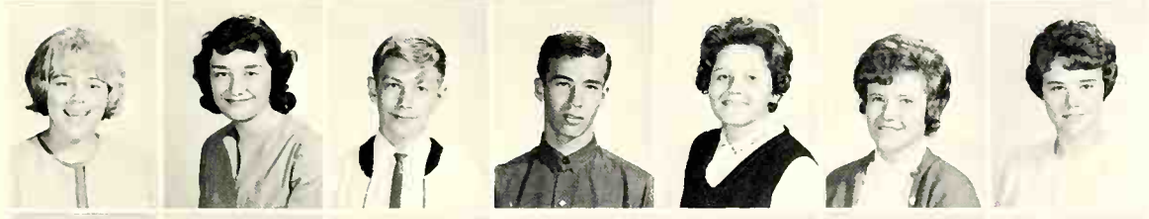
New Faces, New Ideas

Peggy Lundberg
Sharon Macleod
Marsha Magers
Dorothy Maguire
Judy Malasto
Maxine Mandernach
David Mann

Dennis Marrell
Earl Martin
Scarlet Martin
Sandra Maxwell
Kathleen McBain
Maureen McCreery
Britt McDaniel

Martha McDonald
Linda McGuire
Howard McKean
Janet McKean
Mary Meyer
Richard Meyers
Gene Miller

Kristine Miller
Lynda Miller
Donald Monroe
Terry Moore
Casimir Morris
Joyce Murphy
Judy Murphy



Nancy Murvihill
Jean Myers
Earl Naillieux
Gilbert Neuner
Janice Newman
Nancy Nielsen
Karen Niksch

Larry Norlington
Clyde Norman
Zora Parkevich
Jack Parry
James Paskle
Sherry Partlow
Jerry Peck

Charles Peller
James Phillips
Patrick Phillips
Robert Phillips
Patricia Platt
Priscilla Ponader
Sally Porch

Damon Prentiss
James Price
James Pytynia
Phyllis Racette
Richard Raines
Caroline Rak
Kathleen Rak

Michael Redmon
Suzette Reinart
Diane Reynolds
Robert Rhoda
Kathi Rice
Warren Rigg
Linda Riley

Ruth Ricker
Mark Roberts
Daniel Robinson
Linda Robinson
Diana Rogers
Rita Ronco
Jerry Root

Robert Rowland
Fred Rucker
Louis Rugg
Georgette Saar
David Sanford
Heide Schaefer
Anita Scheller

Sharon Schock
Charles Schroeder
Sue-Ann Schuessler
Cheryl Scott
Michael Scott
Valerie Scott
Steve Seelig

William Shefchik
William Shupe
Robert Sievers
James Siewen
George Sigler
David Simmons
Larry Small

Byron Smith III
Jerry Soloman
Kenneth Sommers
Gene Spencer
Richard Spencer
Mann Spitler III
Newell Stalbaum

Peggy Steele
Leroy Stevenson
Roberta Stevenson
Carol Struve
David Swihart
Linda Switzer
Jacob Tarner

Al Taylor
Fred Towe
Beverly Tuthill
Shirley Tuthill
Robert Urschel
Robert Villeneuve
Holly Wagner

Establishment and Recognition at VHS

Betty Waldschmidt
Jackie Wampler
Barbara Wasemann
Ronald Wattles
William Watts
Wendy Weber
James Wellsand

Dieter West
Thomas West
Robert White
David Whiteman
Sheila Wiesjahn
Keith Wilgus
Kathleen Wills

Abbie Winerman
Victoria Wozniak
Gale Zoller

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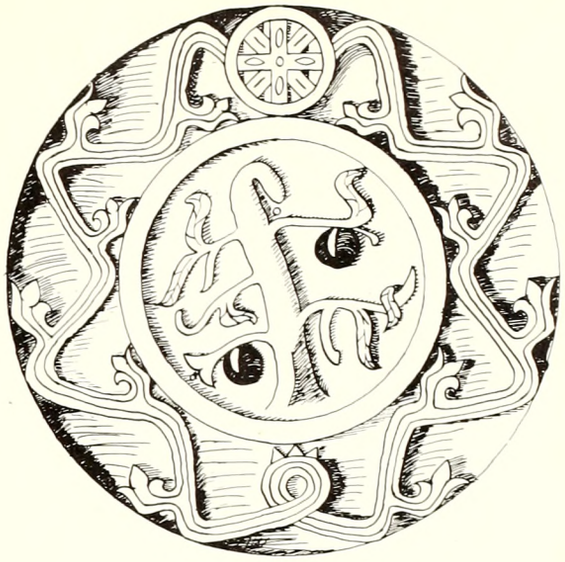
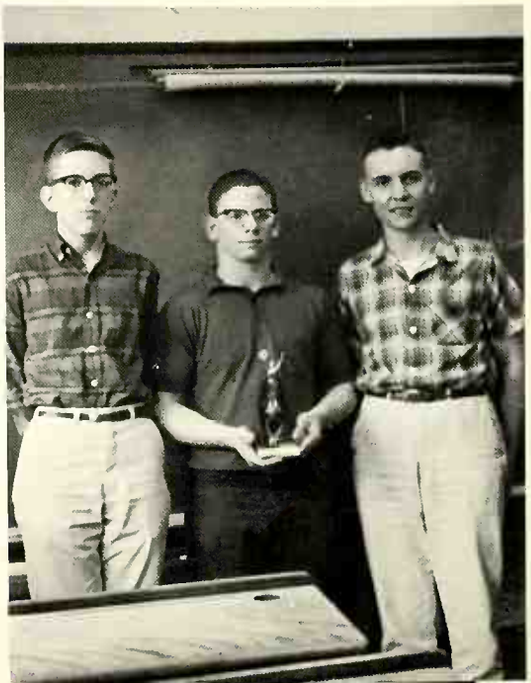
Jennifer Stuart
Orval Wade
Arnold Westfall

Sophomores use out of class time to good advantage. The study hall, room 103, is the scene of great accomplishments(?)



The Tree of Knowledge Continues to Mature

As winter melts into spring, another cycle of learning is completed. Baseball and its aspirants, track and its stars, the prom and its sparkle comprise a spring season that will long be remembered. In the hectic few weeks preceding the close of school, final exams confront the veteran senior as well as the novice sophomore. Yet, the tension of exams is quickly forgotten in the excitement of graduation. For VHS seniors, commencement marks the beginning of a new life. Although veterans of the high school realm, they are now entrusted to the world as novices. For juniors, a year of added responsibility and leadership awaits. Sophomores prepare to become dependable upperclassmen. In the fall a new class will be ushered in. The cycle of learning will begin again. The tree of knowledge will continue to grow and mature.



Sadie Hawkins Marks End of Winter and Beginning of Spring

upper left
Mr. Scarecrow, watching Dogpatch couples, is the only male who has escaped female treachery. On April 3, the Sadie Hawkins Dance was held at Benjamin Franklin Junior High School.

upper center left
Hillbilly silhouettes dance to the hog-callin' music of Mr. Roy Johnson. The dance was sponsored by the GAA and chaperoned by Mrs. Karen Akin and her husband.

upper right
Grease paint adds to the novelty of Li'l Abner (Vic Smith) and Daisy Mae (Tini McAfee) who were elected by Dogpatch popular vote.

middle center left
Carol Kinch, exhausted after catching her man, Jim Shinabarger, relaxes while listening to the Lemonlighters' folk music.

middle center right
Cindy Hill does the splits as part of her cheerleading routine. Tryouts were held in the gym on May 14, when the six varsity cheerleaders for the next season were chosen.

middle right
Junior class treasurer, Lynn Anderson, collects dues from Jan Davis and Penny Jankowski. Dues were used to finance the Junior-Senior Prom.

lower left
Meridith Hart, World Affairs Tour delegate; Jane Bauer, Girls' State delegate; Olivia Henkel, Girls' State Alternate; Marlene MacDonald, Girls' State delegate; Janet Sawtell, Girls' State alternate; Tom Douglas, World Affairs Tour alternate; Jim Powell, World Affairs Tour delegate; Mike Copper, Boys' State alternate; Phil Bickel, Boys' State delegate; Bob Tofte, Boys' State alternate.

lower center left
VHS math scholars, Mark Bartelt, Rick Sacks, and Harvey Hahn, display the trophy they won at the invitational math contest. Rick Sacks, Mark Bartelt, and Mike Gunther placed first, second, and third respectively in Comprehensive B. Harvey Hahn placed fifth in Comprehensive A. The contest was held at Benjamin Franklin Junior High School.

lower center right
The courtyard with its new plants and bushes announces spring. Georgene Nightingale and April Myers have caught "the fever" — spring fever — and enjoy the spring.

Year-end Productions Highlight Spring Semester

upper left
Carlene Forszt (Julia) and Jon Oesting, (Winston Smith) meet for the first time in the Office of the Ministry of Truth. The play 1984 was presented by the Valparaiso High School Dramatics Club, directed by student Kathy Carlson and sponsored by Mr. William Barrett

upper center right
The lovers find refuge in an apartment rented by a poor shopkeeper, Sandra Newcomb. Rehearsals for 1984 were held before and after school from late October until the play was given on March 19-20 at Thomas Jefferson Junior High School.

upper right
Glad Hand (Rick Johnson) tries in vain to organize the Jets and Sharks with their respective girlfriends in a "friendly" dance. The VHS choir produced West Side Story under the direction of Mr. Carl Hurst at the Memorial Opera House on May 20, 21, 29, 30, and 31.

lower left
Tony (Bob Hildreth) feels that something special is coming, and the special something is a Puerto Rican girl named Maria. Bob received the best actor award of the production.

lower center left
"Action" Peterson sings "Gee Officer Krupke" as Paul (Snowboy) Weissert mimicks Krupke's actions when hauling hoodlums to the station.

middle center right
As the group sings the "Quintet," they acquire an air of hatred and revenge for one another before the rumble.

middle right
Anita, Bernardo's girlfriend, is met by the Jets at the drugstore, having been sent by Maria to talk to Tony.

lower center left
Death comes to Riff with the thrust of Bernardo's switchblade as the Jets look on. The choir worked on West Side Story all through the year. Auditions for the parts were held early in the year

lower right
Riff (Jim Lampl) and Bernardo (Glenn Coble) meet in Doc's Drugstore for a war council to decide on weapons for the rumble.

ANTI-SEX LEAGUE

Spring Accents Activities and Academics

upper left
Ted Steege, editor of the Valparaiso University *Torch*, speaks to the VALPOST and VALENIAN staff members. At the banquet, held at Marie's Restaurant on April 27, new staff members were announced.

upper center left
VHS students cast votes for the Spring Beauty Queen. Voting took place at the Valparaiso Spring Relays after the announcement of the seven-member court.

upper center right
Spring Beauty Queen, Bonnie Just, smiles regally as she approaches her throne. Bonnie was selected by popular vote from a court of seven senior girls chosen by the track team. The coronation dance was held at Thomas Jefferson Junior High School on May 2.

upper right
The Spring Beauty court and their escorts dance to the music of the Noteables. The dance was sponsored by the Pep Club and chaperoned by teachers

lower left
The Spring Beauty court composed of Jane Dean, Julie Frye, Princess Pat Fitzgerald, Queen Bonnie Just, Carol Prahl, Judy Bowman, and Tini McAfee reign over the spring dance "Moonlight Bay". The senior court was escorted by the track team. The queen and princess were escorted by the track co-captains Dave Hill and Earl Deal

middle center right
Students move closer to the screen to obtain a good view of the slides shown at the annual Pep Club Dessert Party. Held in the VHS cafeteria on June 1, officers for the succeeding term were announced

middle right
The GAA Big-Little Sister Party was held in the VHS cafeteria on May 27. Each little sister presented her big sister a graduation gift.

lower right
Pat Kane presents the gavel to the new Y-Teen's president, Nancy Hart. The annual Y-Teen's banquet was held at the VU Student Union on May 26. The program included an address by Harriet Rex Smith, a local artist.

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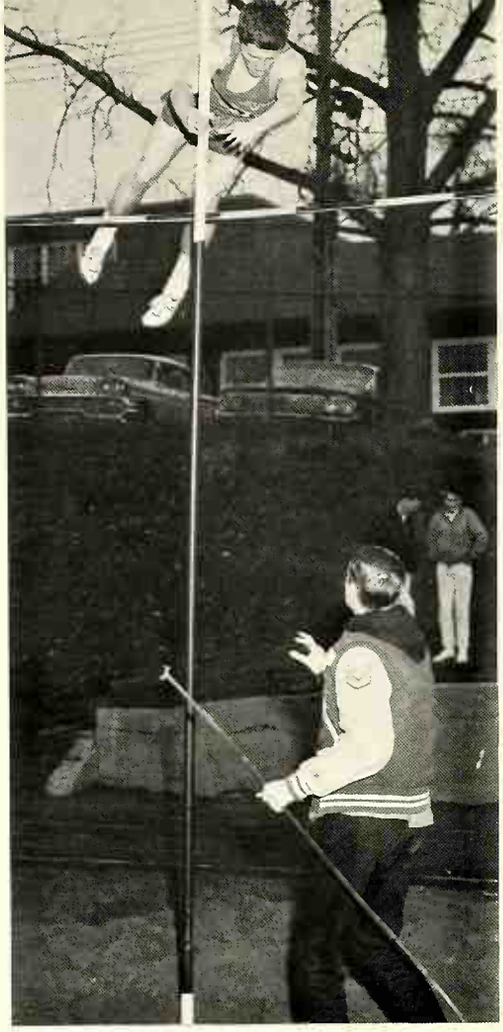


VARSITY TRACK — FRONT ROW: J. Bailey, coach; T. Stokes, head coach; D. Hill, D. Horan, M. Carlin, E. Deal, C. Koeppen, K. Pifer, coach; C. Stuber, coach. ROW 2: L. Jones, R. Wood, J. Poole, D. Whitman, S. Vandrey, S. Vickers, D. Brown, L. Lindberg, T. Harrington, C. Conover. ROW 3: S. Ferguson, manager; G. Zoller, manager; J. Wellsand, S. Seelig, G. Caryer, T. Herman, G. Neuner, R. Knight, G. Brown, B. Rouch, T. Collins.

Victory — the Result of Strength, Skill and Determination

upper left
Gasping for breath, Earl Deal finishes first in the Indiana state track meet held in Indianapolis on May 23. Earl ran the mile in 4:18.4 obtaining his second state victory.

upper center left
Dave Hill soars over the bar for a first place finish in the Valparaiso Spring Relays. Dave Brown catches the new fiber glass pole as Dave Hill descends. Dave also participated in the state track meet.

upper center right
Straining with every muscle of his body, Tim Harrington stretches for even more distance. VHS hosted home meets at Boucher Field.

upper right
Scott Vickers, senior track man, follows through in hurling the shot during the Valparaiso Spring Relays as Mike Copper records the distance.

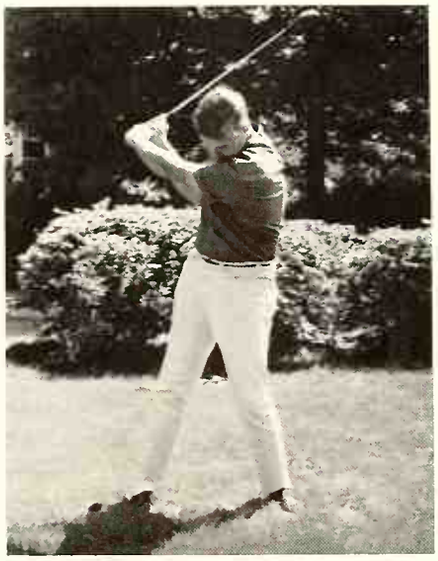
JV TRACK — FRONT ROW: B. Leibold, A. Taylor, M. Roberts, R. Meyers, D. Follis, J. Jones. ROW 2: N. Stalbaum, M. Spitler, T. Moore, F. Towe, R. Edwards, D. Hemmersbach, M. Clouse. ROW 3: D. Dunklebarger, G. Mahringer, R. Crockett, T. Giesler, M. Dougherty, B. Risley. ROW 4: D. Brittingham, J. Smith, C. Jankowski, C. Comeford.

VARSITY TRACK

Valpo 62½	Horace Mann 47
	Lew Wallace 27½
Valpo 41½	Portage 60½
	Chesterton 35
Valpo 67	Horace Mann 42
Valpo 62	E.C. Roosevelt 42
	Lew Wallace 22
Valpo 46	Crown Point 63
Valpo 41	Hammond Tech 68
Valpo 38½	Michigan City 70½

Outdoor Activities Break the Monotony of a Lengthy Winter

upper left
Using his three wood, Dave Diersen practices his swing before leaving for an away meet. Dave has been a letterman for four years.



upper center left
Dave Dierson, Denny Wermcrantz, and Rollie Parsons, senior golf lettermen, observe Tom Copper demonstrating proper swinging techniques. The golf team was coached by Principal King Telle and Mr. Robert Cain.

lower left
With the count "three and two," Viking Mike Mounce observes the catcher's signal before throwing the all-important pitch.

middle center left
The Vikings are "up to bat" as team members discuss the game. Home baseball games were held at Thomas Jefferson Junior High School this year.

lower center left
Tension mounts and John Nicklas awaits the pitch as cheering fans in the bleachers urge on the team along with Mr. Rhoda, coach, who could usually be found behind third base.

GOLF — FRONT ROW: R. Parsons, D. Wermcrantz, D. Diersen, T. Copper, F. Frey. ROW 2: B. Tofte, M. Baird, B. Schenker, A. Henkel, D. Dodds. ROW 3: R. Cain, coach; B. McDaniel, D. Gott, B. Kuehl, M. Scott.

BASEBALL — FRONT ROW: D. Birch, D. Knott, R. Rhoda. ROW 2: M. Mounce, Z. Cole, R. Barber, M. Copper, R. Rhoda, coach. ROW 3: E. Stipp, J. Johnson, T. Eiler, J. Siewin. ROW 4: C. Landgrebe, J. Nicklas, R. Freeman, T. Gahl, J. Spencer. ROW 5: R. Raines, L. Daly, T. Hampson, M. Green

BASEBALL

Valpo	8	Chesterton 7
Valpo	1	DeMotte 3
Valpo	6	Tolleston 5
Valpo	2	Horace Mann 5
Valpo	1	E.C. Washington 3
Valpo	14	Froebel 3
Valpo	5	Emerson 6
Valpo	2	LaPorte 5
Valpo	2	Chesterton 10
Valpo	6	Lew Wallace 5
Valpo	3	Tolleston 4
Valpo	6	Horace Mann 3
Valpo	3	Froebel 4
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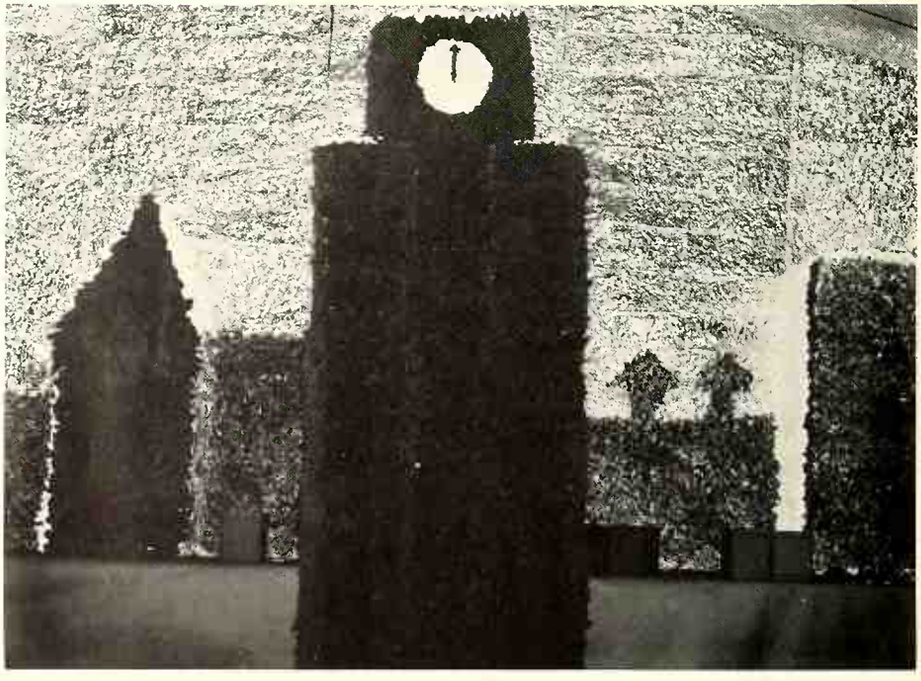
Valpo	2	Lew Wallace 5

ENTRANCE



Midnight in Manhattan Creates an Evening of Sophistication

upper left
The music of the John Sox Sextet drifts through the heavy air of a Manhattan evening.

upper center left
Jeff Deal and Bob Johnson build the foundations for Prom decorations with skill and artistry.

upper center right
A refreshing stream of ice-blue water flows through Central Park as couples enjoy its scenic beauty.

upper right
Serving as a reminder of the 1964 Prom is a star-shaped bid of mother-of-pearl underlaid with blue.

middle left
Reita Witters and Ralph Hetfield pass between the dark grillwork gates which open into an evening of enchantment. The VHS Junior-Senior Prom was held May 22, 1964, in Boucher gym.

middle center left
As the evening passes, couples enjoy dancing and visting.

lower left
Staten Island skyscrapers loom above a sky of multi-colored lights. Decorations for the Prom were constructed and financed by the junior class.

lower right
Highlighting the evening is the Grand March led by junior class president Janet Brown and vice-president Bob Johnson and their dates. Robert Hummel, Robert Rhoda, Robert Cain, and Roy Johnson were the sponsors of the class.

The Last Walk — A Certain Life Ending, A New Life Beginning

upper left
Conducting the Baccalaureate services was the Reverend Darrell Parker of the First Presbyterian Church, and assisting was the Reverend Almon Coble of the First Methodist Church.

upper right
With Baccalaureate services now a part of the past, seniors depart from the gym, thus anticipating Commencement which is also to be held in Boucher gym.

middle center left
Attentive faces focus on Reverend Parker as he addresses the senior class on "Heroes and Stars."

middle center right
Senior faces reflect diverse moods in the high school library before Commencement. Commencement exercises were held on June 9, 1964, in Boucher gym.

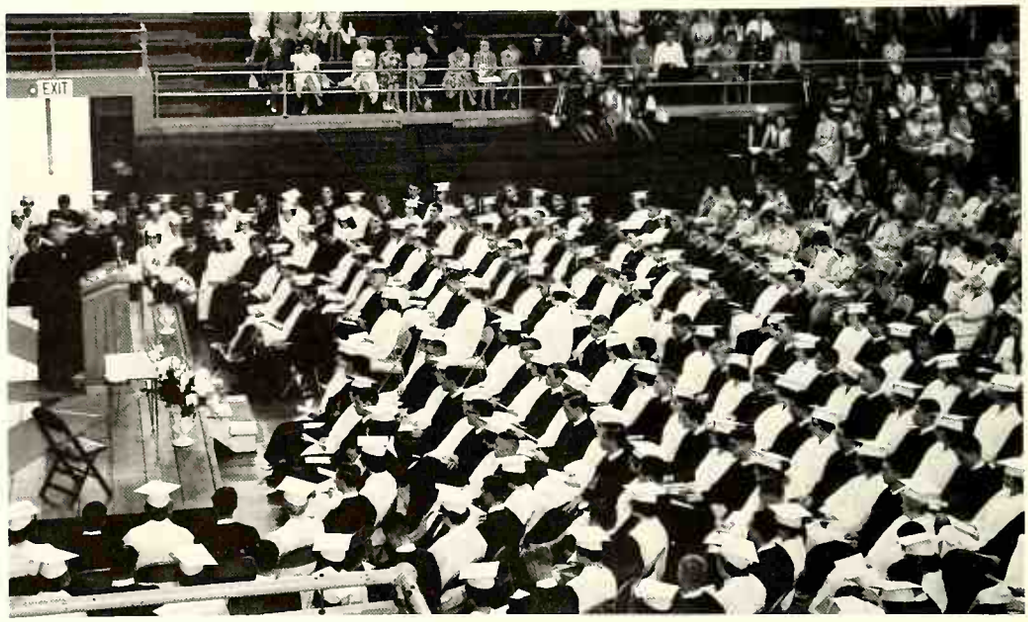
middle right
Addressing the graduating seniors is Dr. Lawerence Derthick. He spoke on "The Four Hills." Also, the VHS choir sang "You'll Never Walk Alone."

lower left
Carlene Forszt, Valedictorian and Sallyann Kennedy, Salutatorian are the scholastic leaders of the graduating senior class.

lower center left
Tension mounts in VHS hallways as the seniors prepare for Baccalaureate. Baccalaureate services were held June 7, 1964.

lower right
Rapt seniors listen as Valedictorian Carlene Forszt speaks on "The Challenge of Today."

lower center right
With only minutes left of their last high school year, nervous seniors pass through the breezeway to Commencement exercises.



Senior Awards

Senior Scholars	Carlene Forszt, valedictorian Sally Kennedy, salutatorian Sheri Froberg Sue Grieger Jay Johnson Kathryn Nielsen Roberta West Harvey Hahn Julia Frye Elizabeth Roby Rosemary Hampson Carol Prahl John Rigg Ramsey Barrett Joanne Gingerich
National Merit Finalists	Sue Grieger Harvey Hahn
Science Award	Harvey Hahn
Bucci Music Award	JoAnne Loring
Choir Award	Roger Bowen Robert Hildreth
Commercial Department Award	Elizabeth Brady
D.A.R. Citizenship Award	Roberta West
Tri Kappa Scholarship	Rosemary Hampson
Delta Theta Tau Scholarship	Saran Miskimins
Delta Theta Tau Girl's Athletic Award	Linda Herman
Rotary Club Scholarship	Jay Johnson
National Math Contest Award	Mark Bartelt Harvey Hahn Rick Sacks
Home Economics	Kathleen Shewan
All-Athletic Award	John Nicklas
Perfect Attendance	Ruth Beck Larry Lindberg Judith Mann Jonathon Oesting Steven Saez Roberta West Carolyn White Reita Witters Thomas Worden

Corrections

CAROLYN LOUISE BEIKE: Pep Club 4, Dramatics 2,3,4.

JOHN DENNIS WERMCRANTZ: Hi-Y 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Golf 2,3,4; Intramurals 3,4; V-Club 3,4; Boys' State Delegate.

ROBERTA MILLICENT WEST: VALENIAN 4; Choir 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4.

REITA ALICE WITTERS: Band 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 1,2,3,4.

ANN BROOKE WILLIAMSON: Y-Teens 4; Pep Club 1, 2,3,4; GAA 1,2,3,4; National Merit.

PAUL NORMAN WEISSERT: Mars Area Joint Schools, Mars, Penn. 1; Band 2,3,4; Choir 4; Pep Club 3,4; Football 2; Intramurals 2,3,4.

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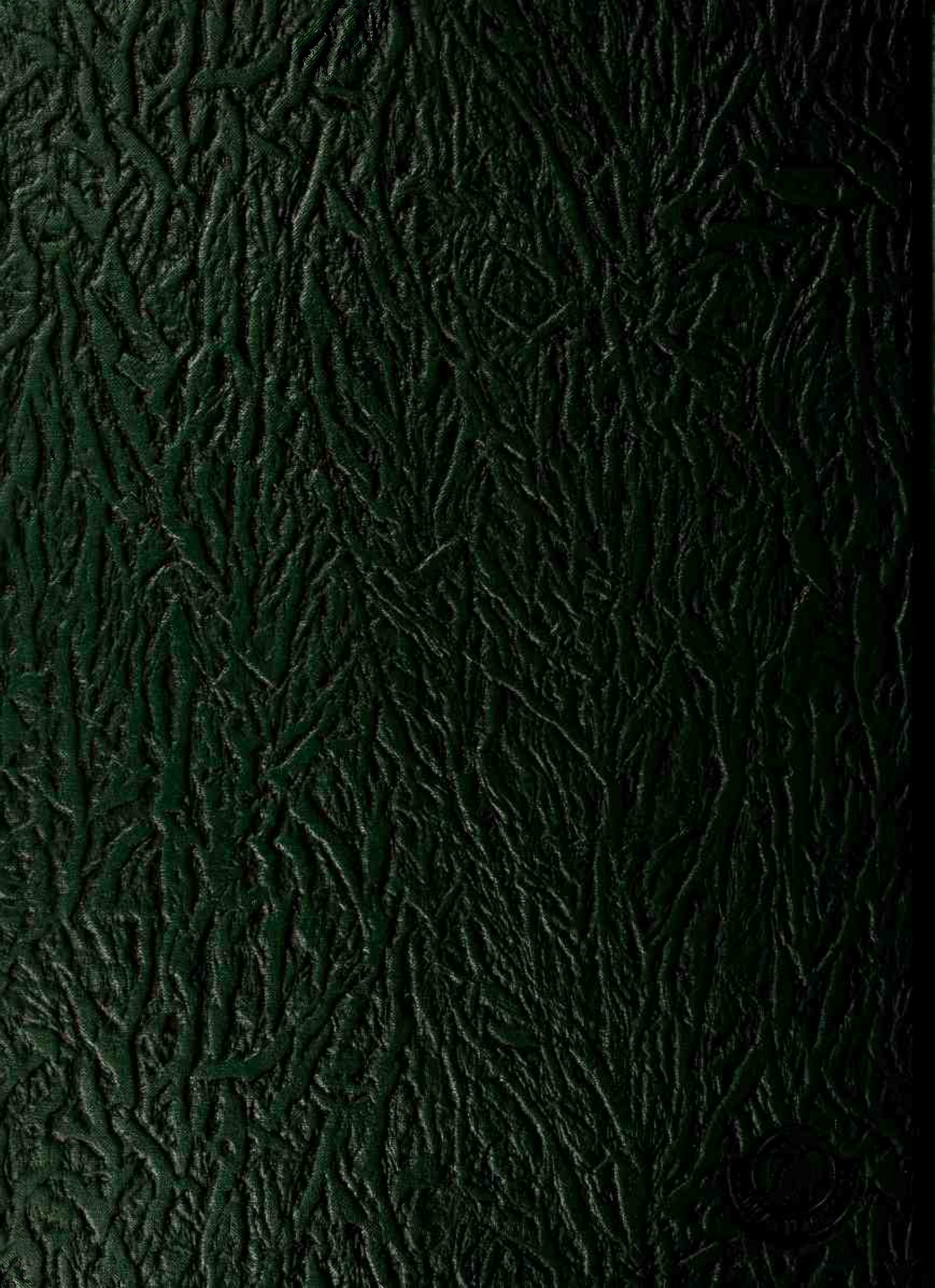
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